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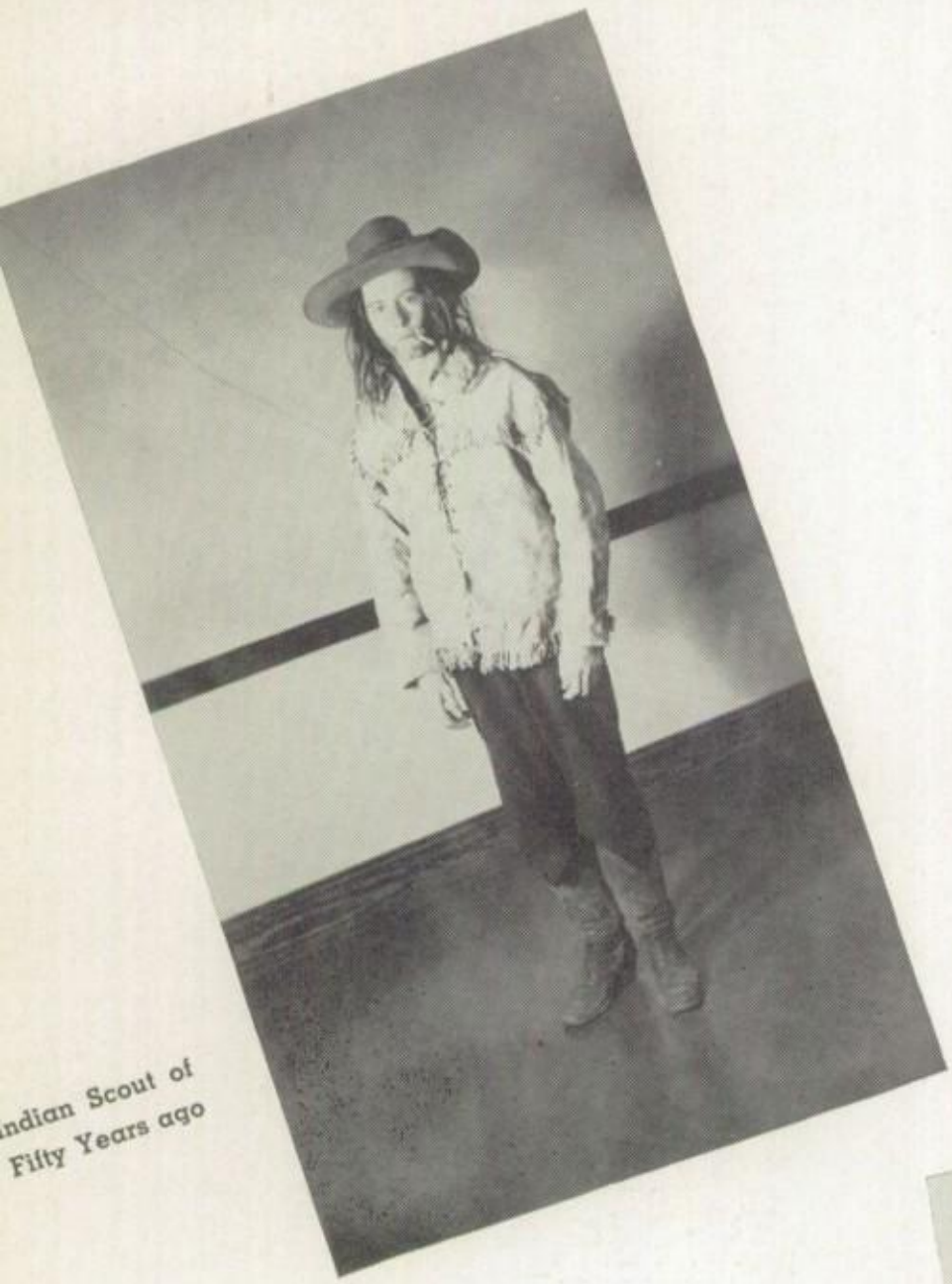
School

Fourteen hundred saw RCHS defeat Hot Springs to win the State Class A Regional Basketball Tournament.

Rapid City High School celebrated the anniversary of fifty years of South Dakota statehood by dressing in costumes worn in 1889. Everyone cooperated so well that practically every costume in the city was out, pressed up and on parade at the school that day. Even the teachers and principals dressed in typical fifty-years-ago costumes. A general assembly was held in the morning and prize-winning characters



ndian Scout of
Fifty Years ago

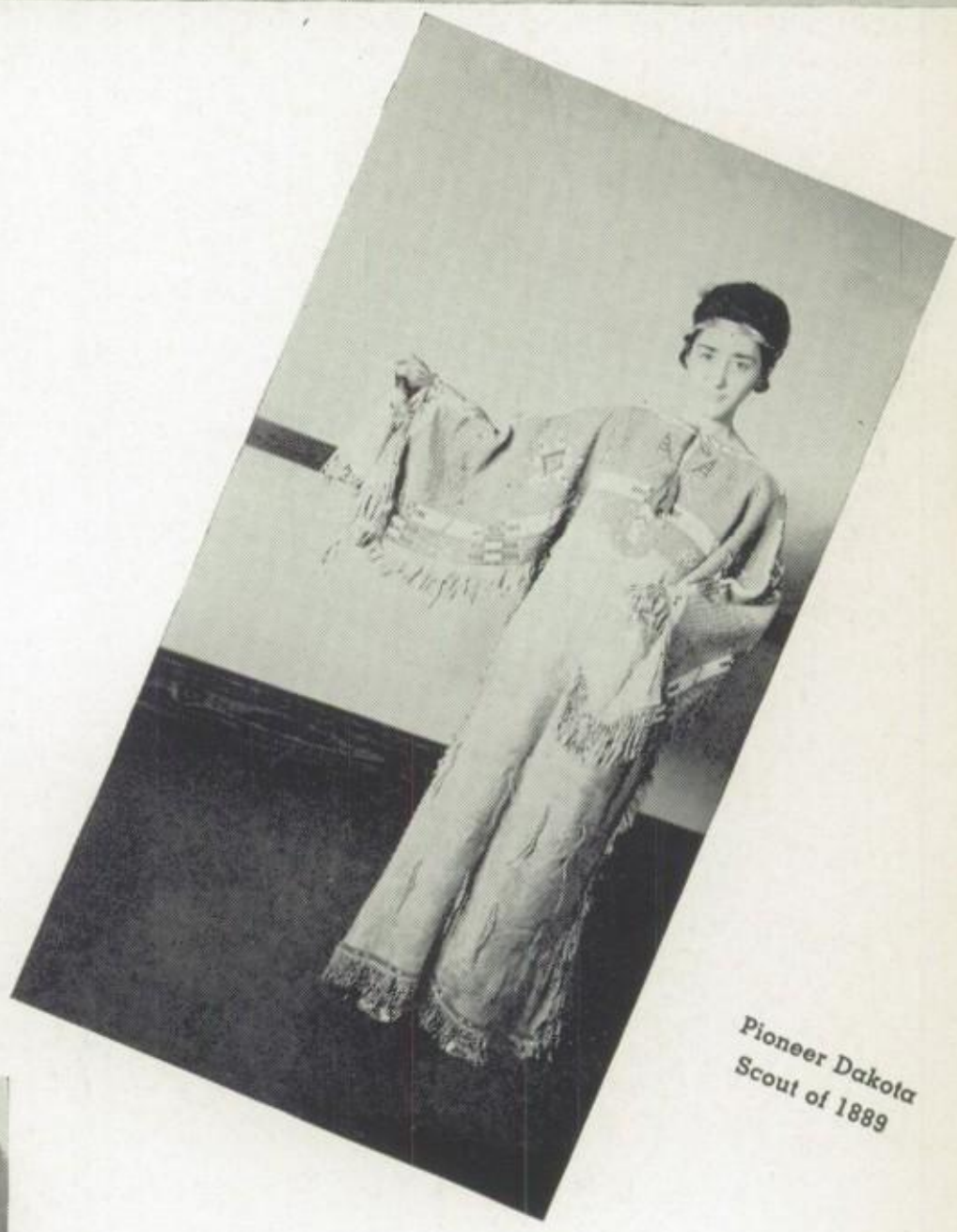
Each year the Seniors enjoy a picnic day of recreation and a huge dinner in the "Hills" at Camp Judson. And what a dinner!

Scenes

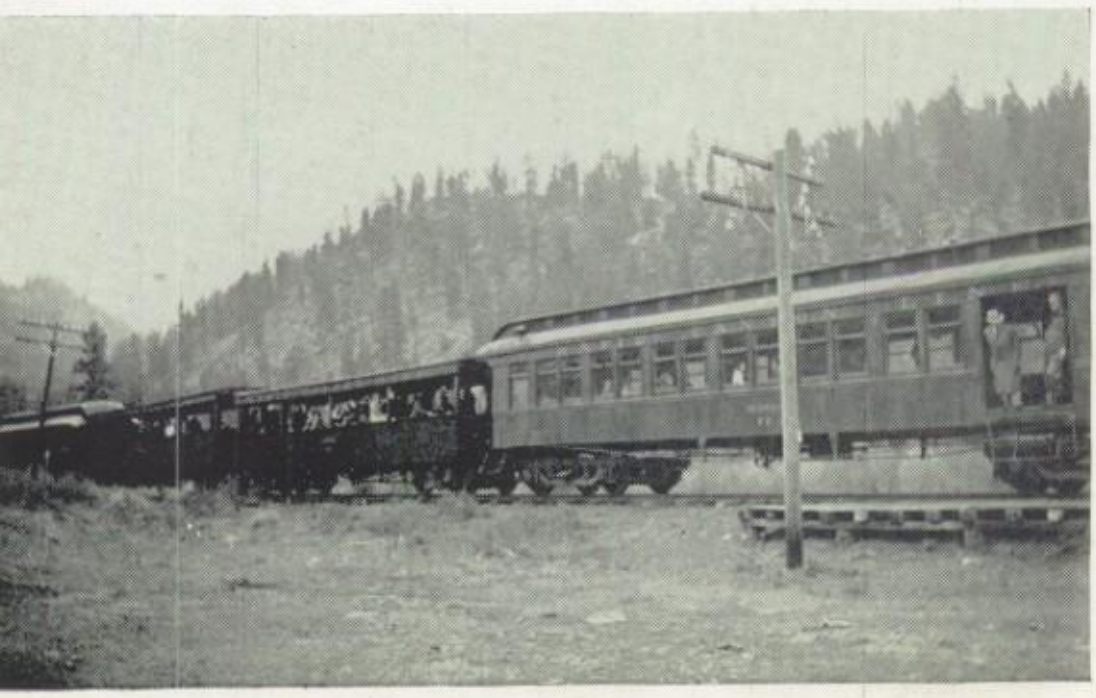
Class Day Exercises are a part of the formal exercises of graduation week, when Seniors give over to the Juniors.

were chosen. Songs were sung accompanied by an old organ. Mrs. Brennan, a real pioneer of Rapid City, told the student body of her experiences when the State of South Dakota and Rapid City were young and very much Indian.

Coincident with fifty years of South Dakota statehood is the graduation this year of the fiftieth senior class from the Rapid City Public Schools.



Pioneer Dakota Scout of 1889



The Seniors are never anxious to climb aboard the train for a return down the scenic Rapid Canyon after the picnic.

E. N. COBB

We Pay

Mr. E. N. Cobb and

who are two veterans on our Senior High faculty. 1940 marks the 20th year in which Mr. Schwentker and Mr. Cobb have served on the faculty.

Not only are they the type of teachers who give strength, meaning and power to the educational profession, but they are also loyal supporters of Rapid City High School.

Mr. Cobb is head of the Physical Education Department. He teaches Physical Education classes and has been head coach of football, basketball and track teams for these 20 years. The team name of "Cobblers" is in Mr. Cobb's honor.

Tribute to

Mr. O. H. Schwentker

During their teaching careers at RCHS hundreds of high school pupils have come under their guidance. As a result both have won the regard and respect of students and alumni.

Their non-partiality, understanding and sympathetic attitude towards everyone, warrants us to dedicate this yearbook to these two very capable instructors.

O. H. SCHWENTKER

Mr. Schwentker is head of the Industrial Arts Department in which field he has taught since coming to RCHS. He now coordinates the Industrial Relations part-time courses which were introduced two years ago. The band owes its success to his 12 years of excellent instruction.

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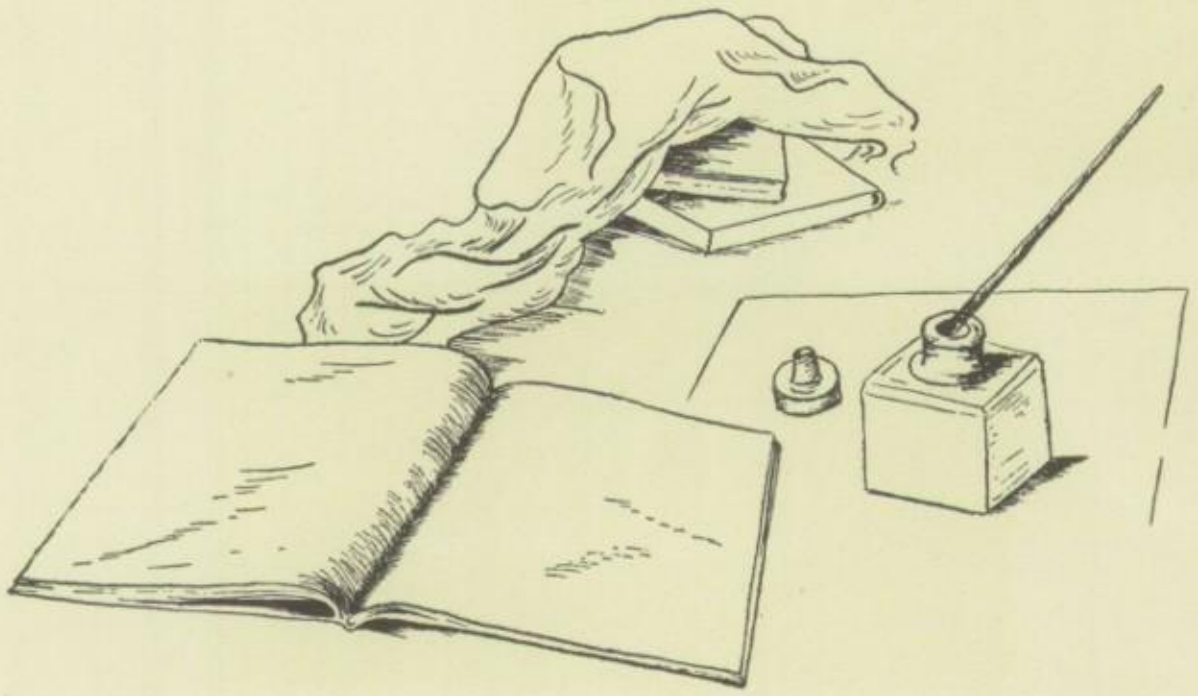


ADMINISTRATION

Rapid City Board of Education

Edward Swander, President of Board of Education; general manager of the Swander Baking Company; member of the Baptist Church, Chamber of Commerce, Lions Club, and a stamp collector.

H. D. Newby, M. D., Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Specialist; member of Rotary, Congregational Church, Masonic Lodge, Elks Lodge, and likes hunting and fishing.

Web Hill has served five years on Board of Education; owner and manager of Web Hill Company; member of Rotary, Fire Department, Masonic Lodge, Chamber of Commerce, Elks Lodge, Secretary Rapid City, Black Hills & Western railroad, and likes to garden and fish.

Edward Swander **H. D. Newby, M. D.** **Web Hill**

A. K. Thomas **Harley N. Johnson** **Earle L. Lewis** **O. H. Barnett**

A. K. Thomas, Treasurer of Board of Education; retired banker, ex-member of Rotary, a Mason, served many years on civic organizations and was a star player on Rapid City's baseball team 1887-88.

Harley N. Johnson, Secretary of Board of Education since 1920; Meteorologist at U. S. Weather Bureau Office since 1914; member of Rotary, Elks Lodge, Presbyterian Church, American Meteorologists Society, and likes to garden and golf and is a lover of horses.

Earle L. Lewis has served seven years on Board of Education; member of Rotary, American Legion, Masonic Lodge, Elks Lodge, Isaak Walton League; Captain in Mexican Border and World Wars, and is Colonel Commanding the 109th Engineers Regiment National Guard.

O. H. Barnett, Vice President of Board of Education; branch manager of Fairmont Creamery Company; member of Rotary, Masonic Lodge, Chamber of Commerce, and plays golf and cribbage.

ALL WORK AND NO PAY.....

RAPID CITY BOARD OF EDUCATION

The Board of Education supports E. B. Bergquist, Superintendent of Schools, in his desire to facilitate a high standard of teaching, by providing adequate equipment and pleasant surroundings. The Board consists of six members chosen by the voters of Rapid City in a general election. Of the six, all but the Treasurer have voting power. These five select a Secretary.

This Board of Directors operates the largest institution in Rapid City with the possible exception of the State owned Cement Plant, handling about $300,000.00 a year in public money.

All functions of the School District are directed by the Board of Education, with the Superintendent of Schools acting as the administrator. They decide the levy for taxes to support and operate the schools; plan the budgets; elect all teachers, supervisors and administrators; and assume responsibility for upkeep, repair and improvement of the buildings and grounds. All financial matters as well as all other policies of the schools are fixed by the Board, such as the purchasing of supplies and equipment and the fixing of salary schedules.

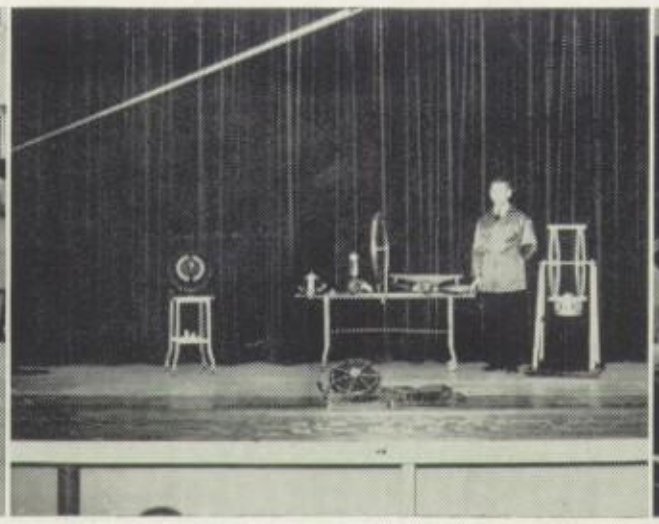
With an intelligent approach to and thoughtful handling of financial problems the Board of Education has used their sinking fund money as an investment fund and from this income they built the Wilson School without asking the taxpayers for an extra dollar. Since this building was completed, another $100,000.00 has been saved or earned, which is used currently to retire bonds not yet due.

Ten years ago the School District had about $200,000.00 of outstanding warrants. The Board has bought up these warrants with their investment fund until today there is not a dollar's worth of outstanding warrants against the District.

From the First Grade through the Twelfth Grade, the Board of Education has played a vital part in our schooling, although many of us do not realize it, and we want to thank them for making our schooling so pleasant.

The members of the Board of Education are: Edward H. Swander, President; Otto H. Barnett, Vice President; Harley N. Johnson, Secretary; A. K. Thomas, Treasurer; Web Hill, Director; H. D. Newby, M. D., Director; Earle Lewis, Director.

t waiting for the first bell to ring. . . . Be-
ıse of noon classes students are not admit-
to the building until 12:50 at noon.



Remember this most interesting assembly program when we got better acquainted with the gyroscopes, and were convinced they'd stay on the overhead wire.

Just one of the many classes. . . . We just want to remind you of the hundreds of hours spent in classrooms getting "full" of education.

Many Courses Offered at R. C. H. S.

The courses offered in Rapid City Senior High School are varied to give a background in preparation for future vocational study.

Twenty-four semester credits, or thirty-two semester credits, including the ninth grade work, are required for graduation from Senior High. One-half of the credits are in required subjects. The Freshman required subjects are English and Social Studies. Algebra, which is a Freshman year subject, may be taken in the Sophomore year with required English. The required courses for the Junior year—American Literature, American History, and Civics—deal with American life and ideals. English Literature, Economics, and Sociology are required to receive the Senior credits. Subjects arranged for one year's work must be completed before any credit will be allowed toward graduating.

The other half of the credits is for elective work. One year of natural sciences must be taken in Senior High School. Biology is a tenth grade subject and Chemistry or Physics may be taken in the Junior or Senior years.

With the revision of the curriculum and addition of new courses, the noon period is used for classes which provide an extra period through the day.

The numerous student clubs offer opportunities to further develop a hobby of any kind. They are the Poster, Dramatic, Rifle, Home Economics, Spanish, and Science Clubs, etc.

The students take part in the management of activities by the Student Council, Student Association, and class officers.

E. B. BERGQUIST
Superintendent

MR. BERGQUIST

Mr. Bergquist, our Superintendent, throughout the past years, has always tried to keep our educational system modern. The many new policies which he has introduced into our school system has made it one of the best in the state. We, of the graduating class, wish to thank him for his untiring efforts in our behalf.

Here's to the Class of 1940

The Rapid City Public High School is again saying goodbye and Godspeed to a group of over two hundred graduates. The school board and school faculty are naturally proud of their products and they as well as the parents hope the outside world will not be too much of a disillusionment.

A company of soldiers, only two hundred strong, may be a very small part of a great army of citizens, but if every one of you has fully caught the infection of the social and literary serums with which you have been innoculated in our classrooms during the past three or four years, you could work miracles of better social conditions in our community and state.

To the extent that your abilities and enthusiasms are directed toward service to others, you will profit in a coin that neither depreciates nor diminishes.

What a world is yours to work on! Youth, Shining Youth, is given us but once, and you now have that priceless possession to dispose of as you will. May you use it temperately and unselfishly.

That you may realize to a generous degree these possibilities for usefulness and true happiness is the sincere wish of

E. B. BERGQUIST, Your Superintendent.

C. E. HASKINS
Principal

MR. HASKINS

Throughout each school year, our principal, Mr. Haskins, is friend, counselor, arbiter, and advisor to everyone. Being always competent, kind, and thoughtful, he fills his position well and stands high in the minds of the students as a skillful leader. To Mr. Haskins, this graduating class extends thanks for the help and guidance he has given us.

MISS WELSH

In her three years at Rapid City as Assistant Principal and Dean of Girls, Miss Welsh has won the friendship of the students. She is counselor for the girls and guides them in their personal problems. In this way she is in constant touch with school life.

MISS WELSH
Dean of Girls

The Faculty

FLORENCE KRIEGER
Langford, South Dakota
Head of Mathematics Department
University of Wisconsin, B. A.
University of California
Northwestern University, M. A.
Solid Geometry
Plane Geometry
Trigonometry
Algrebra III, IV
Shop Math
Math Club

E. N. COBB
Rapid City, South Dakota
Head of Physical Education Department
Monmouth College, Illinois, A. B.
Physical Education
Football
Track
Basketball

ELIZABETH McCULLOUGH
College Springs Iowa
Tarkio College, Missouri, B. A.
Omnibus College
University of Colorado
University of Iowa
English
Girl Reserves
English Arts Club

CLARENCE C. JACOBSON
Sioux Falls, South Dakota
Grinnell, B. A.
University of South Dakota
University of Iowa, J. D.
Speech
American Government
Debate
Extemporaneous
Oratory
Original Oratory
Oratorical Declamation
Debate Club

MILDRED BROWN
Brookings, South Dakota
S. D. State College, B. S.
University of Wyoming
University of Minnesota
World History
Algebra
Girls' Rifle Club

L. W. MOSER
Rapid City, South Dakota
University of S. D., B. A., M. A.
Sociology
Psychology
Pep Club

O. H. SCHWENTKER
Rapid City, South Dakota
Head of Industrial Arts Department
Nebraska State Teachers College
Bradley Polytechnic Institute, B. S.
Colorado State College
Industrial Relations
Band

KATHERINE MOSES
Minneapolis, Minnesota
Head of English Department
Cornell College, Iowa, B. A.
University of Minnesota, M. A.
Creative Writing
English Literature
English Arts Club

E. R. PRUNTY
Rapid City, South Dakota
S. D. State College, B. S.
University of Colorado, M. S.
Chemistry
Biology
Chemistry-Physics Club

GRACE NICHOLS
Madison, Wisconsin
Head of Language Department
University of Wisconsin, B. A.
University of Colorado, M. A.
Latin I, II
Spanish I, II
Spanish Club

E. LLOYD KAUFMAN
Rapid City, South Dakota
Head of Social Studies Department
Buena Vista College, B. A.
Iowa State
University of Iowa, M. A.
Oklahoma University
Economics
Journalism
Pine Needle
Boys' Rifle Club

GERTRUDE BACHMANN
Dennison, Iowa
Coe College, B. A.
Northwestern University
University of Iowa
University of Idaho
University of California
National Music Camp
Christiansen Choral School
Music Appreciation
Chorus
Hi Lo

The Faculty

ALEX F. SCHNEIDER
Rapid City, South Dakota
Head of Music Department
University of Nebraska, B. F. A.
Instrumental Music
Music

SELMA SOGN
Rothsay, Minnesota
Colorado University
Concordia College, B. A.
University of Tours
University of Minnesota
Latin I, II
English II

JEAN SMITH
Rapid City, South Dakota
Morningside College, B. A.
University of Wisconsin
Girls' Physical Education
G. A. A.

LESLIE BOYD
Rapid City, South Dakota
Huron College, B. A.
University of Colorado
American Literature
Drama
Play Production
Dramatic Club Advisor

LOWELL A. DECKER
Rapid City, South Dakota
Head of Commercial Department
Nebrsaka State Teachers, B. A.
Harvard University
Typewriting I, II
Auditor Student Accounts
Junior Class Advisor
Yearbook Advisor

H. ELVA SMITH
Alpena, South Dakota
Dakota Wesleyan, B. A.
University of Chicago
University of California
University of Colorado
University of Mexico
American History
Civics
Girl Reserves

CLARA ROBERTS
Faulkton, South Dakota
Head of Science Department
University of Wisconsin, B. A.
Teachers College, M. A.
Biology
Physical Geography-General
Science-Biology Science
Club

A. E. ANDERSON
Rapid City, South Dakota
The Stout Institute, B. A.
Advanced Drawing
Advanced Manual Training
Arts and Crafts Club

A. E. Anderson

OSMUND T. FUNDINGSLAND
Beresford, South Dakota
Augustana College, B. A.
University of Colorado
Physics
Mathematics
Physics-Chemistry Club Advisor

MARY ZEIMET
Pringle, South Dakota
Black Hills Teachers, B. A.
University of Minnesota
Librarian
L and L Club

ALDA M. ADAMS
Rapid City, South Dakota
University of California
University of Washington
University of Wyoming
University of Colorado
Spearfish Normal
Study Hall Instructor
Girl Reserves

H. WELLS JONES
Rapid City, South Dakota
Iowa University
Denver University
University of S. D., B. A.
University of Colorado
Physical Geography
Geology
Physical Geography-General
Science-Biology Science
Club

The Faculty

LOUISE HOFSTAD
Clark, South Dakota
Augustana College
Iowa State College
S. D. State College
Clothing
Foods
Home Ec Club

C. W. BULLOCK
Rapid City, South Dakota
University of Iowa
Dakota Wesleyan, B. S.
University of S. D., M. A.
Geometry
Algebra
Camera Club
Swing Club

AUDREY GASS
Rapid City, South Dakota
St. Theresa College
Woodbury College
University of Iowa
Shorthand I, II, III, IV
Typing IV
Commercial Club

JOHN V. GRUYS
Breuster, Minnesota
Mankato State Teachers, B. E.
Stout Institute
Colorado State Teachers
Mechanical Drawing
Metal Work
Archery

VIVIAN WRIGHT
Grand Meadows, Minnesota
Milwaukee Downer
University of Minnesota
University of Washington
Iowa State College
Foods III, IV
Home Ec Club

GALE DARTT
Rapid City, South Dakota
University of South Dakota
University of Wyoming
Spearfish Normal
Plane Geometry

ROSALBA GORE
Rapid City, South Dakota
South Dakota School of Mines
University of Montana
B. A. in English
English
Twirling Club

S. A. GLAIM
Rapid City, South Dakota
University of Colorado
Nettleton Commercial College
Bookkeeping
Commercial Law
Typing
Fall Track
"B" Basketball
Track Assistant

MYRNA ADAMSON
Rapid City, South Dakota
Head of Art Department
University of Iowa, B. A.
Art Institute of Chicago
University of Wisconsin
California College of Arts and Crafts
Art
Poster Club

MARY KUMLIEN
Brookings, South Dakota
S. D. State College, B. S.
Home Economics
Clothing
Home Ec Club

ERNEST VAN GERPEN
Avon, South Dakota
Sioux Falls College, B. A.
Biology
Physical Geography-General
Science-Biology Science Club

HAZEL DURFEE
(Left)
Reeder, North Dakota
University of North Dakota
Junior-Senior High School, Interne

GWENDOLYN JOHNSON
(Right)
Pierre, South Dakota
University of Minnesota
Junior-Senior High School, Interne

Smooth School Routine Is the Responsibility of These Efficient Employees

Van Dusen

cutor of Superin-
ıtal duties is Miss
Dusen. Students
her at the begin-
and end of the
year to pay
to her and re-
refunds.

George Wilson

A famous figure in the hallways is George Wilson. For a great many years he has kept our school clean. The Class of '40 wishes him much happiness.

Mrs. Crawford

Everybody in school has come in contact with Mrs. Crawford at one time or another. Besides giving slips to tardy students she carries out the many duties of the Principal's office.

Marietta McLearie

Miss McLearie controls the keys to the Supply Room. Students seeking school supplies come to her. This graduating class wishes her "good luck."

Lois Richardson

Another person who is responsible for performing the duties in the Principal's office is Lois Richardson. Her smiling face and pleasant manner have made her known to all students.

Ruth Husby

Ruth Husby is a familiar person at the switchboard in the Superintendent's office. She will not be back next year. Recently she married Kenneth Keifer. We wish her a happy marriage.

MISS BLACK

The safe-guarder of our health is our school nurse, Miss Black. She diligently performs her duties toward the prevention of diseases. All of us wish to thank her for services rendered.

Student Council

"STUDENT GOVERNMENT IN ACTION"

Student Council is a student representative body composed of representatives elected from each group by popular vote. Its purpose is to discuss various student problems and student necessities and to establish those plans which they feel are beneficial to the student welfare. Among the cctivities and plans installed this year are: more pep meetings, selling of red and white pencils imprinted with the basketball schedule, lectures to Junior High students on sportsmanship, installment of a substitute fire drill plan, selection of paid assembly programs for next year, and aid in ittiating the present radio course for students.

Members: Shirley Crosby, Harry Brown, Clarence Johnson, Ruth Berglund, Dan Leedy, Bruce Raymond, Jerry Brennan, Ted Whiting, Dorothy Lange, Catherine Semans, Vivian Kempter, Wayne Wiley, Lewis Carr, Glenn Hyde, Annette Johnson, Betty Lou Gaskill, Jean Miser, Buster Hart, Jean Manning, Mary Lou Brewster, Robert March, Ruth Fankell, Marjorie Shearn, Donald Nehrenberg, Elinor Price, Marion Tidrick, Glen Mellgren, Bob Roberts.

Officers: Donald Nehrenberg, President; Jerry Brennan, Vice President; Marjorie Shearn, Secretary; Ted Whiting, Treasurer; Mr. Haskins, Advisor.

Student Association

"MAKERS OF SCHOOL LAW"

The Student Association of Rapid City High School is the guiding organization of the school and tries to bring about maximum efficiency and cooperation between all departments and the student body.

Every student in the high school is a member of the Student Association. Its officers are chosen from the student body at large.

The Student Association's business this year included the discussion and awarding of letters, discussion of student tickets and activities, and other business pertaining to the student body.

It has been the tradition of the Rapid City High School to lead in cooperation and sportsmanship. This is known to every high school in the state. So we pass on to the lower classmen this banner to hold high and strong in the future.

Officers: Bob Roberts, President; Jerry Brennan, Vice President; Louise L'Esperance, Secretary; Bud Levinson, Treasurer (not pictured); Glen Mellgren, Student Manager.

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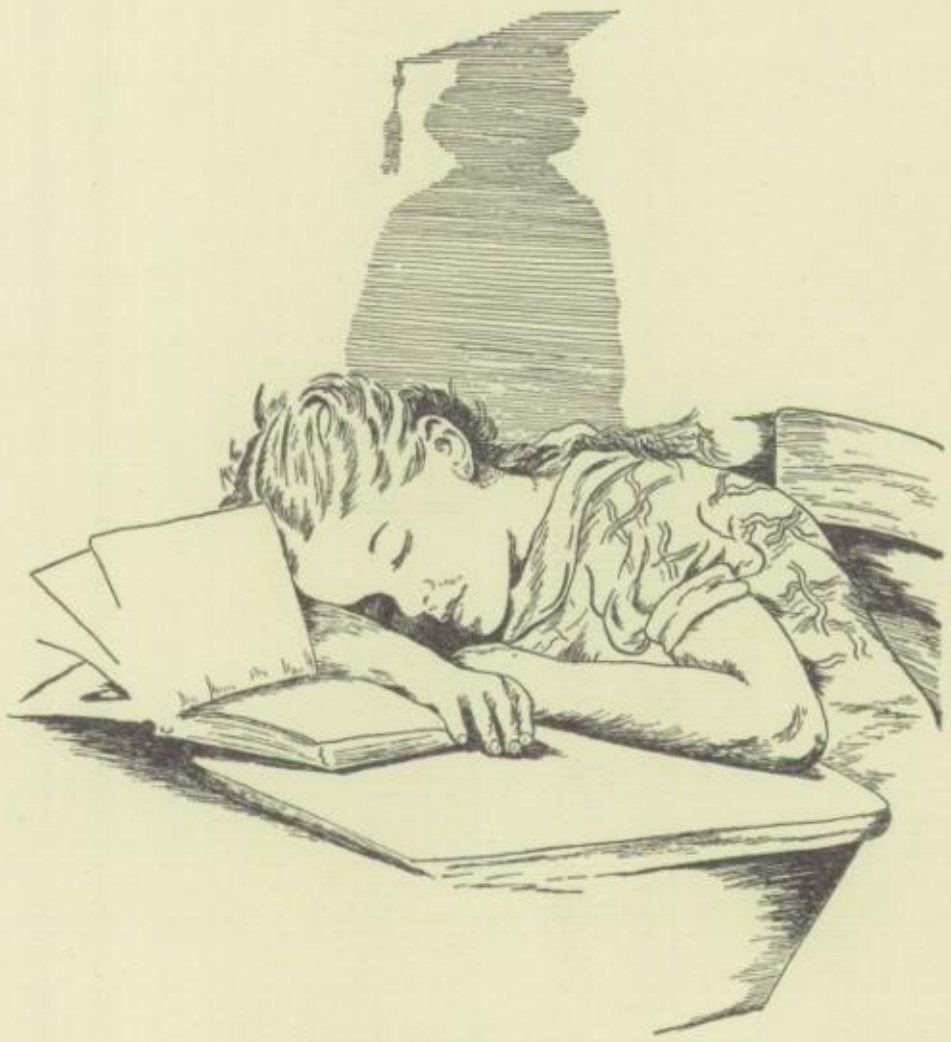


CLASSES

SENIORS

MR. BULLOCK
Advisor

The Class of 1940

This year's Senior Class is the fiftieth graduating class of Rapid City High School. It is one of the largest and we believe the best class ever to receive their diplomas. Under the leadership of Bob Roberts and Donald Nehrenberg, and under the guidance of Mr. Bullock and Mr. Glaim, our class has sponsored the Junior play, "Little Women;" one of the best proms ever to be put on at Rapid City High School; and the hilarious Senior play, "Spring Fever." Among the members of our class are many outstanding students. The class has also presented a new and different Pine Cone. During our years in high school our class has been noted for its enthusiasm and ability to accomplish. With this excellent beginning we are sure our class can and will make as good a mark in the world as those students who have preceded us.

Representative Seniors
Donald Nehrenberg
Marjorie Shearn

Senior Class Officers and Advisory Board

Bob Roberts, President; Donald Nehrenberg, Vice President; Ruth Berglund, Secretary; Jean Miser, Treasurer. Advisory Committee: Ed Hackett, Dan Leedy, Elaine Barnes, Helen Scott, Ted Whiting, Pearl Sanders.

MARGUERITTE ABELN

Study takes all my time.

EUGENE ABRAHAM

He will never die of overwork for he doesn't believe in it.

Basketball, 1st Team 4; "B" Basketball 2-3.

ED AHRENS

I love the ladies—as much as possible.

LAWRENCE ALLEN

Why take life seriously? You'll never get out alive.

"A" Band 2-3-4; "B" Basketball 3-4; Chorus 2-3-4; Dramatic Club 3-4; Football "B" Team 2; Glee Club 2-3-4; Junior Play 4; Music Festival 2-3-4; Operetta Cast 4; Senior Play 4; Swing Club 4.

LINDLEY ALLEN

He's a quiet man, but quite a man!

"B" Basketball 2-3-4; Track 3.

AUDREY ANDERSON

Likeable little lass.

Entered as a senior from Keystone, S. D. Spanish Club 4.

CAROL ATKINSON

Reliable in all she attempts.

English Arts Club 4; Dramatic Club 4; Girls' Basketball 2-4; Girl Reserve 2; International Students' Society 2-3; Junior Play 3; L and L Club 2-3-4; Music Festival 2-3; Pine Needle Staff 4; Quill and Scroll 4; cum laude.

GENE R. BABBITT

The higher we rise, the grander the view.

"A" Band 2-3-4; "A" Orchestra 2-3-4; "B" Basketball 2-3-4; Chorus 2; Football 2-3-4; Music Festival 2-3-4; Student Police 2.

FRANK BAILEY

Molasses in January has nothing on him.

"A" Band 2-3-4; Chorus 2; Music Festival 2-3-4; Swing Club 4.

ELAINE BARNES

Lightheaded but only one way.

Girl Reserve 2-3; Girls' Rifle Club 3-4, President 4, Secretary-Treasurer 3; Quill and Scroll 4; Pine Needle Staff 4; cum laude.

BETTY BAUER

Is that spontaneous laughter or just a giggle?

Commercial Club 4; G. A. A. 2-3; Girls' Basketball 2-3.

HELEN BAUMGARTNER

Like gravity she has the power of attraction.

Entered as a senior from Strasburg, N. D. Commercial Club 4, Secretary 4; Pep Club.

POLLY BAUSCH

Good humor is the health of the soul.

"A" Orchestra 2-3-4; Dramatic Club 4; G. A. A. 2; Girl Reserve 2; L and L Club 2-3-4; Music Festival 2-3-4; Christmas Play 4.

GEORGE BEHRENS

The chief art of learning is to attempt; but a little at a time.

THERESA BEHRENS

Give me someone that's "Frank."

"A" Orchestra 2-3-4; Chorus 2-3-4; English Arts Club 4, Secretary 4; Girl Reserve 2-3-4, Vice President 4; Hi Lo 4; Glee Club 2-3-4; Music Festival 2-3-4; Quill and Scroll 4; Pine Needle Staff 4; cum laude.

URSULA BENOIT

Always busy but time for everyone.

English Arts Club 4; L and L Club 3-4; Math Club 3-4; Poster Club 3-4; Science Club 3; cum laude.

GORDON BENTHIN

Because a man says nothing is no sign he has nothing to say.

Poster Club 4.

MELVEN BERGER

If at first you don't succeed, try, try again.

Football 2; Track 3-4.

CARL C. BERGERSON

Why have favorites when you can kid them all?

Chorus 2-3-4; Dramatic Club 3-4; Hi Lo 3-4; Glee Club 2-3-4; Music Festival 2-3-4; Operetta Cast 2-3-4.

RUTH BERGLUND

Gaiety is the gift of women.

Chorus 4; Class Officer 4; Dramatic Club 4; English Arts Club 4; Glee Club 4; Music Festival 4; Quill and Scroll 3-4; Senior Play Cast 4; Student Council 2-3-4; Swing Club 4, Secretary 4; Pine Needle Staff 3.

BILL BOBRICK

Bill is a good star—both as an athlete and as a student

Entered as a senior from Deadwood, S. D. "B" Basketball 4; Football 4; R Club 4; cum laude.

CHARLOTTE BOLM

If she will, she will, if she won't, she won't.

"A" Orchestra 2-3-4; Chorus 2-4; English Arts Club 4; Girls' Basketball 2; Girl Reserve 2-3-4; Home Ec Club 3; Glee Club 2-4; Music Festival 2-3-4.

EUGENE BOLTON

Ability is not always broadcast.

Basketball, 2nd Team 3; Chorus 2-3-4; Music Festival 2-3-4; Student Council 3; Student Police 2; Track 4.

EVELYN BOWDISH

True to her work, her word, her friends.

Chorus 2; Pine Cone Staff 4; Quill and Scroll 3-4; Pine Needle 3.

CLARK BESANCON

Me and my camera are pals.

Camera Club 4; Music Festival 2; Pine Cone Staff 4; Science Club 4; Student Council 2-3.

GLADYS BEST

Happy and sensible.

Home Ec Club 3-4; Pine Needle Staff 3.

ROSE MARIE BING

There's nothing like a good time unless it's two of them.

Chorus 2-3; Commercial Club 3; Girl Reserve 2; Music Festival 2-3; Poster Club 2.

GUY BLANTON

Detour, man at work.

Track 3.

BENSON BRAITHWAITE

He who knows when to speak, knows when to be silent

Chorus 2-4; Music Festival 2-4.

IRENE BRAITHWAITE

Basketball's her forte.

"A" Band 4; Chorus 2; Commercial Club 4; G. A. A. 2-3-4; Girls' Basketball 2-3-4; Glee Club 2; Music Festival 2-3.

NEVA BRETSCHNEIDER

She's a straight shooter in more ways than one.

G. A. A. 2-3-4, Letter 3; Girls' Rifle Club 2-3-4, President 4, Letter 3; cum laude.

ALFRED BRICKLEY

Conversation maketh a ready man.

Commercial Club 4, Secretary 4; English Arts Club 4; Senior Play Cast 4.

MARJORIE BRIDGE

She always greets us with a smile.

Pine Needle 2.

RUSSELL BRUNSTEDT

His wit will accomplish much for him.

Chorus 2-3-4; Debate Club 4; Glee Club 2-3-4; Hi Y Club 2; Music Festival 2-3-4; Operetta Cast 4; Dramatic Club.

BARRY BURGESS

I know a lot if I could only think of it.

Track 3.

JOE BURKE

Look Out! I'll do something sensational yet.

"B" Basketball 2-3-4; Chorus 2-3-4; English Arts Club 4; Football 2-3-4; Glee Club 2-3-4; Music Festival 2-3-4; Student Council 2; Student Police 2; Track 2-3-4; Swing Club 4.

ZOE BURRINGTON

A winning way, a pleasant smile.

Commercial Club 3-4; English Arts Club 4; Radio, Choral Speaking 4.

MARILYNN BURTON

Red-headed but by no means hot-headed

English Arts Club 4; Home Ec Club 4.

LEWIS CARR

Unaccustomed as I am to public speaking —Ahem!

"A" Orchestra 2-3-4; Student Manager 3; "B" Basketball 3-4, Captain 3-4; Chorus 2-3-4; Class Officer 2; Dramatic Club 2-3-4; Drum Major 2; Hi Lo 3; Glee Club 2-3-4; Junior Play Cast 4; Music Festival 2-3-4; Operetta Cast 2-3-4; Pep Club 2-3; Pine Needle Staff 3; Student Council 4; Swing Club 4.

HELEN CARSON

When big blue eyes are smiling.

Commercial Club 4; Girl Reserve 2.

JAMES CARSON

Men of few words are the best men.

Football, B Team 3; R Club 2-3-4; Track 2-3-4.

KENNETH CHAMBERLAIN

A soldier firm and stout of heart.

ROGER CHARLTON

A man from "Man" kato!

Entered as a Senior from Mankato, Minn.; cum laude.

JACK CHUBB

If there's anything he likes to do it's sleep.

"B" Basketball 2-3-4; Junior Play 4; Poster Club 3-4.

EDWIN E. CLARK

What's Hot Springs got that Rapid hasn't?

"A" Band 2-3-4; "B" Basketball 2; Football 2; Music Festival 2-3-4; Student Council 2.

RAY COLE

Don't call on me teacher—I might blush.

"B" Basketball 2.

MAXINE CRAWLEY

Oh kid! I've the funniest thing to tell you.

Chorus 4; Girl Reserve 2; Glee Club 2-3; L and L Club 4; Music Festival 2-3-4.

MELBA DAVIS

Eternal sunshine on her head.

Entered as a senior from Lane, S. D. "A" Orchestra; cum laude.

FRANK DAY

A man of practical application.

ED DeLAND

Do you want to know? Ask me.

"A" Band 2-3-4; "A" Orchestra 3-4; Dramatic Club 4; Junior Play, Lighting 4; Music Festival 2-3-4; Operetta, Lighting 4; Science Club 4; Senior Play, Lighting 4; Track 4; cum laude.

DOROTHY DIER

As fond of dates as an Arab.

Entered as a senior from Springfield, S. D. Chorus 4; Commercial Club 4; Glee Club 4; Music Festival 4; Pep Club 4.

ROBERT DORUM

Bob enjoys his studies—but a good time better.

"B" Basketball 2-3-4; Chorus 2-3-4; Football 2-3-4; Hi Lo 3-4; Glee Club 2-3-4; Music Festival 2-3-4; Operetta Cast 3; Track 2-3.

KATHLEEN DRISCOLL

Lead's loss, Rapid City's gain.

Entered from Lead High School in senior year. Spanish Club 4.

CARYL JO ELLIOTT

A temperamental artist.

Pine Cone Staff 4.

CLAUDE ELLISON

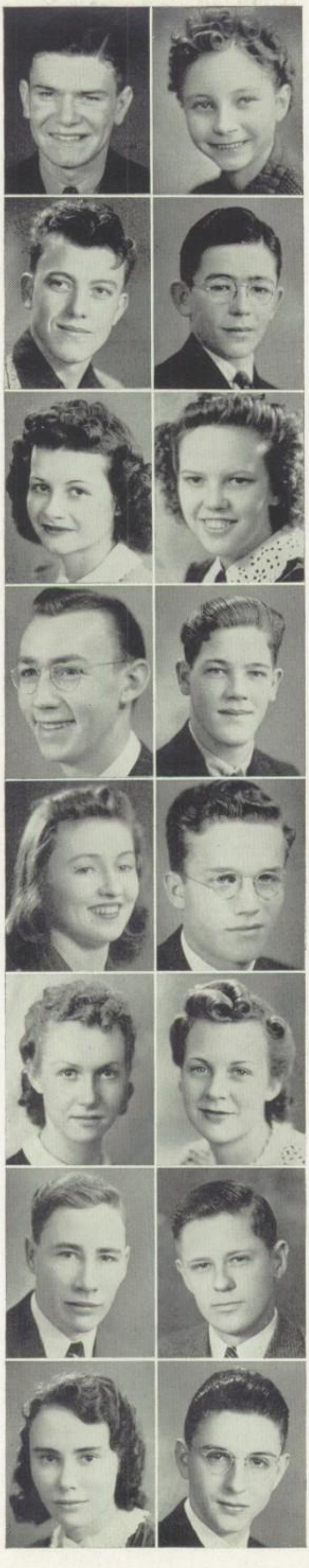
So habitually efficient that efficiency becomes a habit.

"B" Basketball 3.

HELEN ELLISON

If silence is golden, she'll be a wealthy woman.

Girl Reserve 2.



IRENE ERICSON

A friend to one, a friend to all.

Commercial Club 4; English Arts Club 4; Pine Needle Staff 4; Quill and Scroll 4; Spanish Club 2-3-4; cum laude.

GERALD EVANS

A little man with a big horn.

"A" Band 2-3-4.

MILDRED EWING

Shy and quiet until you get to know her.

"A" Orchestra 2-3-4; English Arts Club 4; Girl Reserve 3; L and L Club 4; Music Festival 2-3-4.

REINHOLD FEIOCK

You chat with him but he won't chat with you.

"B" Basketball 3-4.

DARRELL FLEMING

They tell me I'm the big noise in the band.

"A" Band 2-3-4; "A" Orchestra 4, Treasurer 4; "B" Basketball 2; Music Festival 2-3-4; Dramatic Club 2; Football 3-4.

CAROL FOREST

My interest is with my diamond.

Chorus 2-3-4; Declamatory Contest 2; Hi Lo 4; Glee Club 2-3-4; Music Festival 2-3-4; Operetta Cast 4; Student Council 2.

ADRIAN FORRETTE

His heart's in art.

CLYDE GAFFIN

Great men are willing to be small.

SAM GALBRAITH

His path of success is the path of common sense.

DOLORES GARREY

Dynamite comes in small packages.

Commercial Club 3-4, President 4; Girl Reserve 2-3; Pep Club 3-4; Pine Cone Staff, Ass't. Editor 4; Senior Play Cast 4; Spanish Club 2-3-4; Swing Club 4; First Year Shorthand Champion 3; Best First Year Typist 3; Dramatic Club 4; cum laude.

JUNE GAST

I have a mind of my own!

"A" Band 2-3; "A" Orchestra 2-4; Dramatic Club 3-4; Glee Club 2-3-4; Junior Play 3-4; Music Festival 2-3-4; Pine Cone Staff 4; Christmas Plays 2-4; Sophomore Play 2.

ALICE MARIE GIBBS

Short but sweet and full of fun.

Chorus 3-4; Dramatic Club 3-4; Glee Club 3-4; Music Festival 3-4.

DICK GOTZ

He'd swallow anything—including goldfish.

Entered as a senior from Council Bluffs, Iowa. Boys' Rifle Club, 4.

ROBERT GROETHE

I don't care, I ain't going to kill myself working.

Arts and Crafts 3, President 3; "B" Basketball 2-3-4; Football 2nd Team 3-4; Student Council 3; Weight Teams 3-4.

ROBERT GRUBE

His smile goes all the way around.

Senior Play, Student Director 4; Dramatic Club 4.

EDWARD T. HACKETT

C-e-t—Cat!

"B" Basketball 2-3-4; Chorus 2-3-4; Dramatic Club 4; Football 2-3-4; Glee Club 2-3-4; Music Festival 2-3-4; R Club 2-3-4; Senior Play Cast 4; Student Council 2-3; Track 2-3.

LORRAINE HACKETT

She puts her worries in a pocket with a hole in it.

Chorus 2-3-4; Girl Reserve 2-3; Glee Club 2-3-4; L and L Club 2; Music Festival 2-3-4.

BETTY HADEN

I'd love to be a missionary—but I only want one convert.

Chorus 2-3-4; Dramatic Club 3-4; Girl Reserve 2-3-4; Glee Club 2-3-4; Junior Play, Student Director 4; Music Festival 2-3-4; Senior Play Cast 4.

HAZEL HAM

Her constant good temper makes her pleasant to have around.

Chorus 2-3-4; Dramatic Club 3-4; English Arts Club 4; Girl Reserve 2-3-4; Glee Club 2-3-4; Junior Play 3; Music Festival 2-3-4.

MARJORIE HAM

I have a heart with room for every joy.

"A" Orchestra 2; Chorus 2-3-4; Dramatic Club 3-4; English Arts Club 4; Girl Reserve 2-3-4; Hi Lo 3-4; Glee Club 2-3-4; Junior Play 3; Music Festival 2-3-4; Operetta Cast 2-3-4; Pine Needle Staff 3; Swing Club 4.

RUTH ANN HAM

Be patient for the world is broad and wide.

Camera Club 3; Charm School 4; Commercial Club 4; G. A. A. 2-3-4; Home Ec Club 4; Glee Club 2-3; Music Festival 2-3; Pep Club 3; Girls' Basketball 4; Girl Reserve 2-3-4; Girls' Rifle Club 4; Swing Club 4.

DONALD HANSON

His favorite pastime is looking in a mirror.

Dramatic Club 2-3-4; Boys' Rifle Club 2; Science Club 4; One Act Play 2.

MARIE HARKCOM

I'm learning a lot—but school interferes.

Commercial Club 2-4; Dramatic Club 2-3-4; Extemporaneous Contest 3; G. A. A. 2-3-4; Girls' Basketball 2-3-4; Junior Play Cast 4; Senior Play Cast 4.

CHARLOTTE HARRISON

You can't expect love to bloom if you keep transplanting it.

"A" Orchestra 2-3-4; Chorus 3-4; Dramatic Club 3-4; Girl Reserve 3-4, President 4; Hi Lo 4; Glee Club 2-3-4; Junior Play 3-4; Music Festival 2-3-4; Operetta Cast 4; Pine Cone Staff 4; Student Council 2-3; Swing Club 3; Christmas Plays 4; Sophomore Play 2; cum laude.

ADELE HART

Oh Johnny, oh Johnny!

Commercial Club 3-4; Pep Club 4.

PAUL HARTH

He's a self-made man.

"B" Basketball 4; R Club 4; All Conference; Track 3-4.

DORIS HAYENGA

She's the student everyone ought to be.

Chorus 3-4; Dramatic Club 3-4; Girl Reserve 2; Glee Club 2-3-4; Junior Play, Costume Committee 3; Math Club 4; Music Festival 2-3-4; Operetta Cast 3-4; Pine Cone Staff 4; Twirling Club 4; cum laude.

FRANK HECKER

Give me girls and more girls.

"B" Basketball 2; Football 2; Boys' Rifle Club 3; Track 2.

KENNETH HERRIED

Hi ya, kids!

Chorus 4; Music Festival 4.

GERALDINE HESNARD

Patience is a necessary ingredient of genius.

Entered as a senior from Hermosa, S. D. Charm School 4; English Arts Club 4; Music Festival 4; "B" Band 4; Scholastic News Contest 4; cum laude.

ELSIE JEAN HIGGINS

The way to have a friend is to be one.

Chorus 2-4; G. A. A. 3; Music Festival 2-4.

DORIS HODGIN

When it comes to choosing colors, I'll take "Brown."

Charm School 4; Home Ec Club 3-4; Glee Club 2; Music Festival 2.

MAX HOEHN

Napoleon was small too.

"B" Basketball 3-4.

ROBERT HOOD

He's little but he's wise, He's a terror for his size.

"A" Band 2-3-4; "B" Basketball 3-4; Basketball, 2nd Team 2; Chorus 2-3-4; Dramatic Club 2-3-4; Hi Lo 4; Glee Club 2-3-4; Junior Play 3-4; Music Festival 2-3-4; Operetta Cast 3-4; Pine Cone Staff 4; Senior Play 4; Swing Club 4; One-act Plays 2-4; Christmas Pageant 4.

HARRY HORNBY

Education? I'm not the type.

"B" Basketball 2-3-4; Football, 2nd Team 3.

JOHN HUSBY

Don't write, telegraph.

Boys' Rifle Club 4.

GLENN HYDE

Monkeys can carry the ball—it takes a man to block.

"B" Basketball 2-3-4; Chorus 2-3-4; Football 2-3-4; Glee Club 2-3-4; Music Festival 2-3-4; Quill and Scroll 3-4; R Club 2-3-4; Student Council 4; Swing Club 4; Track 2-3-4.

ELIZABETH IKAST

A gracious, innocent soul.

ALTA JENNINGS

You can't tell about these quiet girls.

Charm School 4; Chorus 3; G. A. A. 2-3; Home Ec Club 2-3-4; Glee Club 2.

LaVERDA JENSEN

Enjoy life ere it's fled, When you die you're a long time dead.

Charm School 4; Girl Reserve 2; Home Ec Club 4; L and L Club 4.

DOLORES JEPSEN

No one can enjoy life—alone.

LaVONNE KERSTEN

Fun is the spice of life and she likes lots of seasoning.

Entered as a senior from Prescott, Arizona.

ANNETTE JOHNSON

Speak kind words and you will hear kind echoes.

Chorus 2-4; Commercial Club 3-4; English Arts Club 4; Girl Reserve 2-3-4; Student Council 4.

RICHARD KINGMAN

Character lives in a man, reputation outside of him.

"B" Basketball 2-3-4; Football, 2nd Team 2-3-4; Dramatic Club 4; Junior Play Cast 4; Track 2-3-4; One-act Play 4.

EDITH JOHNSON

Dependable as a clock.

Chorus 2; Glee Club 2; Math Club 3-4; Quill and Scroll 4; Scholastic News Contest 4; Science Club 3.

DARRELL KINPORT

I come to school when there's nothing else to do.

"B" Basketball 2-3-4; Arts and Crafts 2.

VINETTA A. JOHNSON

Whatever she does, she does well.

Dramatic Club 4; English Arts Club 4; Girls' Basketball 4; Girl Reserve 2-3; International Students' Society 2-3; L and L Club 3-4; Math Club 4; Music Festival 3; Scholastic News Contest 4; cum laude.

DOROTHY KLUTHE

Speak freely what you think.

Chorus 4; Commercial Club 4; Dramatic Club 4; English Arts Club 4; Glee Club 4; Music Festival 4; Quill and Scroll 3-4; Swing Club 4; Pine Needle Staff, Assistant Editor 3.

VIRGIE JOHNSON

Simplicity and plainness are the soul of elegance.

Dramatic Club 4; English Arts Club 4; G. A. A. 3; Girl Reserve 2-3-4; Junior Play, Properties 4; Senior Play, Student Director 4; Pine Needle Staff 4; cum laude.

MAXINE KUIKEN

Career? Nah—marriage.

Chorus 3-4; Girl Reserve 2; Home Ec Club 2; Glee Club 2-3-4; Music Festival 2-3-4; Pep Club 2-3.

ARTHUR JONES

Full of enthusiasm that comes out in "appropriate" remarks.

Dramatic Club 4; Junior Play Stage Crew 4; Senior Play Cast 4.

PEARL LUCILE KUKUK

She acts just as she ought.

Chorus 2-3-4; English Arts Club 4; Glee Club 2-3-4; Music Festival 2-3-4; Operetta Cast 4; Poster Club 2-3.

LUCILE JONES

Many can converse, but not many can argue.

Chorus 3; Debate Club 3; English Arts Club 4; Girl Reserve 3-4; Music Festival 3; Pep Club 3; Scholastic News Contest 4; Spanish Club 3-4; cum laude.

RUBY LAMKE

Her voice was ever soft, gentle, and low.

Home Ec Club 4.

NORMA JEAN KELLY

Her high school is just the first step in her success.

Cum laude.

ROBERT LARSON

Never mind me, I just stick around here.

Arts and Crafts 3.

OLIVE LEE

I love my books the best of all.

Spanish Club 4; Pine Needle Staff 3.

DAN LEEDY

Like a kerosene light—he shines brightest at night.

"B" Basketball 2; Basketball, 1st Team 3-4; Basketball, 2nd Team 2; Chorus 4; Class Officers: Sophomore Treasurer, Junior Vice President; Football 2-3; Glee Club 4; Music Festival 4; Pine Needle Staff 3; Quill and Scroll 3-4; Student Council 2-3-4; Track 3-4.

DAVE LEEDY

I tell you they need more men like me.

"B" Basketball 2-3-4; Vice President 2; Dramatic Club 4; Football 2-4; Junior Play Cast 4; Pine Needle Staff 4; Senior Play, Advertising 4; Track 4.

LOUISE L'ESPERANCE

Friendliness is the keynote of a good personality.

Student Association, Secretary 4; Chorus 2-3-4; Class Officers: Sophomore Secretary, Junior Treasurer; Dramatic Club 3-4; Girl Reserve 2-3-4; Glee Club 2-3-4; Junior Play 3-4; Music Festival 2-3-4; Pine Cone Staff 4; Senior Play 4; D. A. R. Candidate 4; Queen's Attendant 3; One-act Play 2-4.

TWYLA LESSARD

A light heart lives long.

Girls' Rifle Club 4; Student Council 4.

MYRON "BUD" LEVINSON

In the long run a man must depend upon his own wind.

Student Association, Treasurer 4; "B" Basketball 3; Chorus 2-3-4; Debate Club 2-3-4; Extemporaneous Contest 3; Hi Lo 4; Glee Club 2-3-4; Music Festival 2-3-4; National Forensic League 4; Operetta Cast 3-4; Pep Club 2-3-4, President 4; Pine Cone Staff 4; Pine Needle Staff 3; Quill and Scroll 3-4; Dramatic Club 4; Christmas Pageant 4; Senior Advisory Board 4.

BILL LINTZ

When he pounds those "ivories!"

Entered as a senior from Custer, S. D. Swing Club 4; Track 4.

DOROTHY LLOYD

Does she have the jitters or is it just natural?

Commercial Club 3; G. A. A. 3; Girls' Basketball 4; Pep Club 3-4; Quill and Scroll 3; Science Club 3; Swing Club 4; Twirling Club 4; Pine Needle Staff 3.

VICTORIA McCLOSKEY

I never have much to say, but I do a lot of thinking.

Home Ec Club 2.

ROBERT McCONACHIE

Little he says but much he does.

English Arts Club 4.

MARY McCRAY

I may be the editor, but I'm not responsible for all the things in this book.

"A" Orchestra 2-3-4, Vice President 4; Girl Reserve 2-3-4; Cabinet 4; Junior Play, Property Committee 4; Music Festival 2-3-4; Pine Cone Staff 4, Editor 4; Senior Play Cast 4; Spanish Club 3-4, Vice President 4; Student Council 2; Swing Club 4, Treasurer 4; One-act Play 2; Theatre Orchestra 3-4; Orchestra Librarian 3-4; cum laude.

BETTY LOU MABBOTT

Where giggles reign, she's queen.

English Arts Club 4; Home Ec Club 4; L and L Club 2-3-4; Pine Needle Staff 3.

STEVE H. MARROS

I never let studying interefere with my education.

"B" Basketball 2-3-4; Chorus 4; Football 3; Commercial Club 4; Junior Play, Stage Crew 3; Math Club 4; Music Festival 4; Pine Needle Staff 3; Senior Play, Stage Crew 4.

BOB MATHEWS

A class a day.

"B" Basketball 4; Football 2; Senior Play 4; Track 4.

JOHN MATTSON

I prefer blondes.

ALICE MEISTER

She excels in the kitchen.

Commercial Club 4; G. A. A. 4; Girls' Basketball 4; Home Ec Club 2; Poster Club 2-3-4; Swing Club 4; cum laude.

EVELYN MELLGREN

The sweetest smile in R. C. H. S.

Cum laude.

GLEN MELLGREN

Not afraid of work but not in sympathy with it.

"A" Band 2-3-4; Student Manager of Student Association 4; "B" Basketball 3-4; Pine Cone Staff 4; Senior Play 4; Student Council 4; Swing Club 4; Chorus 2; Dramatic Club 3-4; Glee Club 2; Junior Play 3-4; Music Festival 2-3-4.

LEONARD MELVIN

Well, I'll be "honswaggled!"

Chorus 3-4; Dramatic Club 4; Hi Lo 4; Music Festival 3-4; Operetta Cast 4; Boys' Rifle Club 3-4; Senior Play, "Spring Fever" 4.

KATHRYN MERRITT

Oh!! I forgot—

G. A. A. 3; Girls' Basketball 3.

RALPH MICKLE

There are "smiles" that make you happy!

"B" Basketball 3-4; Football 2-3; Boys' Rifle Club 4; Track 2.

DOROTHY MILLHOUSE

What's the use of living if you can't enjoy yourself?

Girls' Basketball 3.

JEAN MISER

"I'd like to be bashful; but fate decrees otherwise!"

"A" Orchestra 2-3-4; Chorus 4; Class Officer, Treasurer 4; Commercial Club 3-4; Dramatic Club 3-4; Declamatory Contest 2-3-4; English Arts Club 4; Girls' Basketball 2-3-4; Girl Reserve 2; Glee Club 4; Music Festival 2-3-4; Pine Cone Staff 4; Senior Play, "Spring Fever" 4; Student Council 3-4; String Quartet 2-3-4; cum laude.

RUSSELL MOORE

I come to school just to get a general idea of things.

LUCRETIA MORRIS

We like her still—the stiller the better.

"A" Orchestra 2-3; Chorus 2-3; Commercial Club 4; Girls' Basketball 2-3-4; Music Festival 2-3; Pep Club 3-4; Swing Club 4.

ROBERT MORROW

Don't recite so loud, I'm sleepy.

VIOLA MUELLER

Quiet and reserved, but "oh my."

Chorus 4; English Arts Club 4; Music Festival 4; Operetta Cast 4; Science Club 4.

PHYLLIS MULLER

It is better to wear out than to rust out.

"A" Orchestra 2-4; Chorus 2-4; Dramatic Club 2-4; Girl Reserve 2-4; Glee Club 4; Junior Play 4; Music Festival 2-4; Senior Play 4; Swing Club 4; cum laude.

FLORENCE MUNDERLOH

Oh, I don't care.

Glee Club 2; L and L Club 4; Pine Needle 3.

HOWARD M. MUNDERLOH

Tall, fair, and unclaimed.

JACQUELINE MUNSON

Quiet as the day is long.

Entered as a Senior from Hill City, S. D. Commercial Club 4; English Arts Club 4; cum laude.

DONALD NEHRENBERG

Not bashful—I just give the others a chance.

Student Association, Vice President 3; "B" Basketball 2; Basketball, 1st Team 3-4; Basketball, 2nd Team 2; Class Officers: Sophomore President, Junior Secretary, Senior Vice President; Pine Cone Staff 4; R Club 3-4; Science Club 4; Student Council President 4; Rapid City High School Golf Champion 2-3; State Golf Champion 3; cum laude.

HELEN L. NELSON

Sweet and loveable—just ask Elwood.

BETTY JANE NESS

A good word and a smile for everyone.

Chorus 3; Glee Club 2; Math Club 2.

ROBERT NEWBY

His seasons: Fall—Winter—Spring —and "June."

"A" Band 2-3-4; "B" Basketball 4; Chorus 2; Football 2-3-4; Glee Club 2; Music Festival 2-3-4; Pine Cone Staff 4; R Club 4; Swing Club 4; Track 2-3-4.

WALTER E. NORMAN

Whatever is worth doing is worth doing well.

Arts and Crafts 3; "B" Basketball 4; Student Council Alternate 4; Track 4.

COLIN O'CONNELL

I am not in the roll of common men.

LAURA MAE O'HARRA

The blond bomber!

"A" Band 3; Dramatic Club 3-4; Girl Reserve 2; Music Festival 2-3; Pine Cone Staff 4; Junior Play, Make-up 3; Senior Play, Make-up 3.

MARY OSBORNE

Her friendly manner speaks her thoughtful mind.

Home Ec Club 4; Poster Club 4.

VIRGIL T. PRICE

Listen! The wind.

Debate Club 3-4; Extemporaneous Contest 3-4; National Forensic League 4; Pine Needle Staff 3; Science Club 4.

RALPH RAETZ

His seasons: Football, Basketball, and Girls!

Basketball, 1st Team 2-3-4; Football 2-3-4; Pine Needle Staff 2; R Club 2-3-4; Student Police 2; Track 2-3-4.

PAUL RANGE

I take my books home for exercise.

"A" Band 2; Music Festival 2.

LEO W. REED

There's a higher law than the constitution.

Chorus 3-4; Debate Club 3; Dramatic Club 4; Declamatory Contest 3-4; English Arts Club 4; Junior Play, "Headed for Eden" 4; Operetta Cast 3-4; Pine Cone Staff 4; Pine Needle Staff 4; Senior Play, "Spring Fever"; Music Festival 3-4.

EVELYN REHUREK

Gosh kids, a new man in class!

Chorus 2-3-4; Home Ec Club 2-3; Music Festival 2-3-4.

BOB ROBERTS

Co-education is the thief of study.

Student Association, President 4; "B" Basketball 2; Basketball, 1st Team 4; Basketball, 2nd Team 2-3; Chorus 4; Class Officer, President 3-4; Dramatic Club 4; Football 2-3-4; R Club 3-4; Senior Play, "Spring Fever" 4; Student Council 4; Track 2-3; Color Guard.

BETH ROGERS

Silence is golden—I'm dead broke!

Dramatic Club 3-4; Girl Reserve 2-3-4; Pine Cone Staff 4; Senior Play 4; Spanish Club 2-3; Junior Play, Make-up 2-3-4; Student Council 3.

DWAYNE ROHRS

"He hath a stern look, but a gentle heart."

Arts and Crafts 4; "B" Basketball 2; Basketball, 1st Team 3-4; Basketball, 2nd Team 2; Track 3-4.

BETTYMAE ROOT

Generally speaking she's generally speaking.

English Arts Club 4; International Students' Society 3; Science Club 3; Spanish Club 2-3-4; Pine Needle Staff, Activities Editor 4.

PEGGY RYAN

She thinks and thinks and thinks—once in a while!

Senior Play 4.

GORDON SAGE

Heil Hitler!

Dramatic Club 2; Declamatory Contest 4; Junior Play 3-4; Pine Cone Staff 4; Poster Club 3; Science Club 4; Senior Play 4.

PEARL SANDERS

Gee Whiz! That's what I think!

DONALD SASSE

If it's a working man you're looking for don't come here.

DALE SAVEY

He takes things as they come.

"A" Orchestra 2-3-4; Music Festival 2-3-4.

PAULINE SCHIESSER

Hail! One of the few who really studies.

G. A. A. 4; Girl Reserve 4; Math Club 2-3-4; Pine Needle Staff, Editor 3.

GEORGE SCHMID

When I am gone, pray, who will entertain the populace?

"B" Basketball 4; Chorus 3-4; Music Festival 3-4; Operetta Cast 3-4; Science Club 4; Track 4.

VIVIAN SCHNEIDER

My desire is to be a beauty operator.

Girl Reserve 2-4; Home Ec Club 4; Pine Needle Staff 3; Music Festival 2; Science Club 4; Swing Club 4.

ARTHUR SCHNOSE

If ambition gets a person anywhere, he will get there.

Entered as a senior from Buffalo Gap, S. D. Chorus 4; Debate Club 4; Glee Club 4; Music Festival 4; cum laude.

LaVAUGHN SCHULTZ

My chief prey is a man.

Chorus 2-3-4; Music Festival 3-4.

JEAN SCHURGER

It's nice to be natural when you're naturally nice.

Chorus 2; English Arts Club 4; L and L Club 3-4; Pine Needle Staff 2.

HELEN SCOTT

Smooth runs the water where the brook is deep.

Chorus 2-4; Girl Reserve 2-3-4; Glee Club 2-4; Math Club 4; Music Festival 2-4; Science Club 4; cum laude.

BERNETTA SEIDEL

She lets her conscience be her guide but it sometimes jumps the track.

L and L Club 2-3-4, Secretary 4.

MARJORIE SHEARN

Grass never grows under busy feet.

Dramatic Club 4; English Arts Club 4, President 4; Extemporaneous Contest 2; Champion Lead Speech Derby 2; G. A. A. 2-3-4, President 4, Sponsor 2-4; Girls' Basketball 2-3-4, Captain 2-3-4, Champions 3; Girl Reserve 2-3; Cabinet 3; Junior Play, Property Committee 4; Pine Cone Staff 4; Quill and Scroll 3-4, President 4; Senior Play Cast 4; Student Council 2-4, Secretary 4; All-State Journalism Staff 4; All High School Girls' Basketball Team 3; Christmas Play, Property Committee 3; Pine Needle Staff 3, Copyreader 3; School Sponsor Black Hills Division SDHSPA 4; School Representative SDHSPA State Convention 4; First Year Typing Champion 3; cum laude.

NORMAN SCHROLL

The cautious seldom err.

Pine Needle Staff 3.

DOROTHY JANE SIEBRECHT

Her heart is like the moon—there's a man in it.

Junior Class Vice President 3.

BONNIE SMITH

"Horses! Horses! Crazy Over Horses!"

Chorus 2-3-4; G. A. A. 2; Girls' Rifle Club 2-3-4; Glee Club 2-3-4; Music Festival 3-4; Swing Club 4; Twirling Club 4.

CARROLL SMITH

I guess I'll worry my way down the hall!

"B" Basketball 2-3; Chorus 4; Commercial Club 4; Dramatic Club 4; English Arts Club 4; Football 2-3-4; Operetta Cast 4; R Club 2-3-4; Senior Play 4; Student Council 3; Track 2-3.

JUNE E. SMITH

I can sing away my cares easier than I can reason them away.

Chorus 2-3-4; Commercial Club 3; Dramatic Club 2-3-4; English Arts Club 4; Hi Lo 3-4; Glee Club 2-3-4; Music Festival 2-3-4; Operetta Cast 3-4; Pep Club 3-4.

VIOLET SOLBERG

A very gentle maid and of good conscience.

Commercial Club 4.

PATRICIA SOUTAR

Where work and pleasure clash, let the work go to smash.

Chorus 2-3; Commercial Club 4; English Arts Club 4; Girl Reserve 2; International Students' Society 3; L and L Club 2-3-4; Music Festival 2-3.

DALE STANGLE

Just call me "dizz."

Basketball, 1st Team 3-4; Basketball, 2nd Team 2; Football 2-3-4; R Club 2-3-4; Student Council 3-4; Track 2-3.

ELTON STOLBERG

"Nature hath framed strange fellows in her time.

Camera Club 3; Science Club 4.

ODELL STOUGHTON

The multitude is always in the wrong!

Chorus 2-3-4; Dramatic Club 4; Glee Club 2-3-4; Junior Play 3; Music Festival 2-3-4; Operetta Cast 3-4; Senior Play 4.

RUTH STROM

The light of the body is the eye.

Entered as a Senior from Scenic, S. D. Declamatory Contest 4; English Arts Club 4.

WALTER STUCKER

His legs are short but he travels fast.

"A" Band 2-3-4; "A" Orchestra 3; "B" Basketball 2-3-4; Chorus 2-3-4; Music Festival 2-3-4; Pine Needle Staff 4; Spanish Club 4; Color Guard 4.

ALICE M. TAYLOR

Not merely good, but good for something.

G. A. A. 4; Girls' Basketball 4.

HARVEY TAYLOR

I'm just the guy I'm looking for.

"A" Band 2-3-4; "A" Orchestra 2-3-4; "B" Basketball 2-4; Basketball, 2nd Team 2-3; Music Festival 2-3-4; Boys' Rifle Club 4.

OLIVE THOMAS

The studious die young—so I look forward to a long life.

G. A. A. 2-3; Girls' Basketball 2; Pep Club 2-3.

LILLIAN TORESON

All her interests "fly high."

Charm School 4; Chorus 2-3-4; L and L Club 4; Music Festival 2-3-4; Student Council 2.

ROBERT TRANKLE

If there isn't any fun—I start a circus of my own.

"B" Basketball 3-4; Dramatic Club 4; Science Club 4; Track 4.

LELAH TREBILCOCK

She's interested in "Miner"ology.

SHIRLEY TURNER

The Madonna of the keys!

Spent Junior year at Denver, Colo. Girl Reserve 2-3; Spanish Club 2-3; cum laude.

EARL F. UNDERWOOD

Spearfish is calling!

Arts and Crafts 3; "B" Basketball 2-3-4; Camera Club 3; Chorus 4; Football 3-4; Glee Club 4; Math Club 4; Music Festival 4; Track 4; Short Story Contest 3-4.

BOB UPDIKE

His favorite hobby—sleep!

Football 3-4; R Club 3-4; Student Council 4.

DALE VAN VLACK

If I don't know just ask my twin—Gail.

Glee Club 4; Chorus 4; Music Festival 4.

GAIL VAN VLACK

Always time for play; but work—well!

Chorus 2; Student Council 2.

FLORENCE M. VARIE

Harry is "Varie" nice.

Home Ec Club 2-3; L and L Club 3-4; Pine Needle Staff 2.

RUTH VOSBURG

I wish I could make up my mind.

Home Ec Club 2; Poster Club 2-3-4; Girls' Rifle Club 4.

LENORE WALPOLE

A girl with many talents.

"A" Orchestra 3-4; Commercial Club 4; Dramatic Club, Secretary 3-4; English Arts Club 4; Junior Play Cast, "Little Women" and "Headed for Eden" 3-4; Music Festival 3-4; Senior Play Cast 4.

CHUCK WALSH

His greatest ambition is to grow a beard.

PAUL WARREN

Tall, blond, and well "Warren."

Arts and Crafts 3; Commercial Club 3-4; Junior Play 3; Senior Play 3-4.

LORRAINE WATTERS

Her interests lie in the sawmill.

Commercial Club 4; Girls' Basketball 3; L and L Club 2-3-4; Pep Club 2; Pine Needle Staff 3; Student Council 3.

TED WHITING

Einstein's ardent competitor.

"A" Band 3; Music Festival 3; Pine Needle Staff 3; Science Club 4; Spanish Club 3-4; Student Council 4; cum laude.

ELWOOD WICKERSHAM

School—studies? No—Helen!

Track 2-3-4.

LOUISE WILLIAMS

Educated at last!

Commercial Club 2-3-4; Girl Reserve 2-3; Swing Club 4.

LORENE WILLIAMSON

Life is a mirror and Lorene is smiling in it all the time.

Commercial Club 3-4.

BERTHA WILSON

She has a pleasant smile and a gentle way.

Commercial Club 4; Home Ec Club 2; cum laude. Spent Junior year in Aberdeen, S. D.

JUNE WILSON

Busy as the day is long.

Charm School 4; Girl Reserve 2-3; Home Ec Club 4.

JUNE WINTRODE

Gentle she is and a manner mild.

Chorus 3-4; Glee Club 3-4; L and L Club 2-3-4; Music Festival 3-4; Pine Needle Staff 4.

HAZEL WITHEE

Each mind has its own method.

MARGARET WITHEE

Silent as the night before Christmas.

JOHN ZAMBO

The deeper the river the less noise it makes.

"A" Orchestra 3-4; Chorus 2-3-4; Glee Club 2-3-4; Music Festival 2-3-4; Operetta Cast 4; Student Council 2; cum laude.

SENIORS WITHOUT PICTURES

Betty Jane Anderson

Bette Dungan
(Cum Laude)

Orlo Frease

Weltha Rano

Rudalph Soeffing

Ward Price

In Memoriam

This space is dedicated to the memory of a well-known senior, Mary Ann Schumaker, who was killed September 16, 1939, in an automobile accident. She was 15 years of age.

Seniors Most Active In All School Functions

1. It's Lenore and Gail alright. . . 2. Is it the boxes or the girls who brought the boxes they want? . . 3. Sixth period chemistry class. . . 4. Oh, Bobby. . . 5. The setting adds a lot. . . 6. Guess who? . . 7. Could it be the Leedy twins? . . 8. On the wall. . . 9. R Club barn dance. . . 10. Fifty years of statehood. . . 11. Leave it to Ed to get those "flappers" in. . . 12. Watch that finger, Bob, George is pretty big. . . 13. No explanation needed. . . 14. Go to No. 18 for the owners. . . 15. Just pals. . . 16. And it's Johnny Hill working on them. . . 17. Phyllis. . . 18. Hey Legs! . . 19. Coming to school. . . 20. Received from. . . 21. First period Economics class. . . 22. Busy at work. . . 23. All alone. . . 24. What's so funny? Take a look. . . 25. How could he be in the picture and take it at the same time?. . . 26. Caps and gowns. . . 27. Staff's Saturday work. . . 28. It is a car they're on. . . 29. 1939 Prom. . . 30. Advanced Shorthand class.

Glen Mellgren, Best Looking . . . . Lenore Walpole, Most Talented . . . . Bob Roberts, Best Dressed . . . . Dorothy Dier, Best Dressed . . . . Ralph Raetz, Most Athletic . . . . June Smith, Best Looking . . . . Louie Carr, Most Personality, Most Popular, Most Mischievous, and Most Talented . . . . DeDe L'Esperance, Most Personality and Most Popular . . . . Bud Levinson, Most Talkative . . . . Elwood Wickersham and Helen Nelson, Romeo and Juliet . . . . Beth Rogers, Most Mischievous . . . . Marjorie Shearn, Most Athletic. . . . Dolores Garrey, Most Talkative.

PERSONALITY PANEL

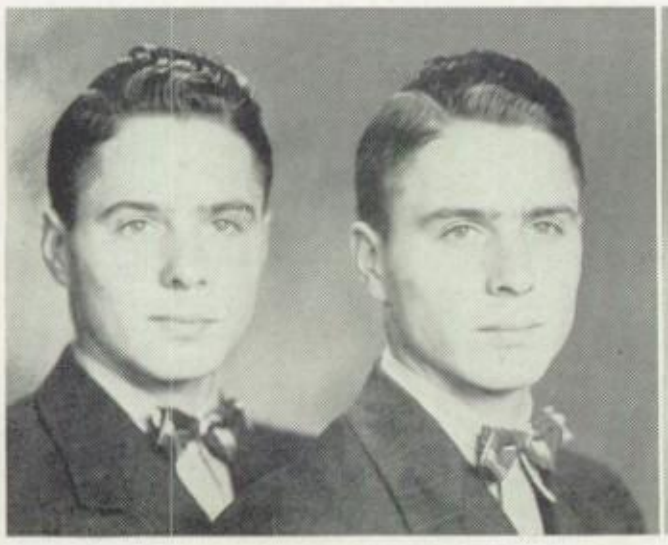
Autographs

JUNIORS

MR. DECKER
Advisor

Money—Money—Money! The Theme song of the Junior Class, for the most sensational, most glamorous prom of 1940. This will be but one of the many successes attributed to the Junior Class. Its name shines in the spotlights of Rapid City High School's 1940 calendar of activities. They have presented an enviable Junior Class Play, "Headed for Eden." We all recognize their athletic ability, their musical talent, and their forensic ability.

We expect them to achieve greater heights of success in 1941.



Representative Juniors

Buddy and Buster Hart
Ruth Fankell

Junior Class Officers and Advisory Committee

Frank Carr, President; Buddy Hart, Vice President; Susan Holm, Secretary; Marcellus Pitz, Treasurer; Bill Beranek, Jean O'Meara, Morris Lux, Jean Barta, Mary Louise Harrold, Gale Goodwin, Joyce Vanderbeek, Advisory Committee.

Juniors . . .

First Row: Agatha Abeln, Josephine Abeln, Wilma Abraham, Melvin Allen, Lois Allgier, Lola Altemus, Albert Altfillisch, Mildred Aronson.

Second Row: Myrtle Ashmore, Wayne Atwater, Wayne Babbitt, James Bahr, Norman Bahr, Gladys Barber, Kingsley Barlow, Ralph Barnett.

Third Row: Adele Barney, Lewis Barney, Jean Barta, Mabelle Barton, Lorraine Bauer, Lola Bennett, Bill Beranek, Gladys Berg.

Fourth Row: Francis Birnbaum, Ruby Boole, Henrietta Bowdish, Lauramae Braden, Jerry Brennan, Mary Lou Brewster, Rita Bridge, Dorthea Briggs.

Fifth Row: Harold Bulgreen, Katherine Burch, Morris Burch, Charles Burgess, Mary Joyce Burton, Stanley Cable, Ralph Carpenter, Constance Carrier.

Sixth Row: Gladys Carrier, Frank Carr, Clarence Carsner, Clinton Cashman, Rose Castle, Wallace Chihak, Robert Chisman, Betty Christianson.

Seventh Row: Phyllis Clark, Donald Claseman, Robert Clow, Willa Jean Coats, Doris Cole, Jean Colgrove, Theresa Cordes, Wallace Cooley.

. . . Juniors

irst Row: Harold Cottrill, Sybil Cosgrove, Rodney Cox, Russell Craig, Dorotha Cramer, Charles Crawford, Morgan Cullom, Juline Curtis.

econd Row: Maysie Lee Cutford, Betty Jane Daily, Elizabeth Daley, Edna Dalrymple, Norma Davies, Amy Davis, Patricia Dawkins, Doris Ann Dayson.

hird Row: Dolores Dean, James Demos, Lucille Demos, Ruby Dimond, James Doyle, Wynfred Driver, Mary Duff, Esther Dugdale.

ourth Row: Patrick Dunn, Eleanor Ebbenga, Martina Eisenbraum, Wayne Elfrink, Earl Endres, James Ennenga, Bill Evans, Erma Felton.

ifth Row: Ruth Fankell, Gene Faulkner, Donald Flaherty, Dulcie Flaherty, Idella Follett, Helen Foley, Eugene Foss, Edwin Foster.

ixth Row: Deone Frease, Florence Freeman, LaVene Freitag, Betty Lou Gaskill, Olive Gates, Katherine Gibson, Evelyn Geist, Gail Gerlach.

eventh Row: Doris Gilbert, Genevieve Goering, Gale Goodwin, Lois Green, Leonard Grado, Bill Groethe, Jack Gronert, Dorthea Grover.

Juniors . . .

First Row: Helen Gravatt, James Hackett, Billy Haley, Milton Hall, Marietta Haney, Mary Louise Harrold, Lloyd Harris, Buddy Hart.

Second Row: Buster Hart, Kathryn Harter, James Hartwell, De Ell Haugen, Eilene Haugen, Albert Hausle, Mary Hamm, Warren Hamm.

Third Row: Raymond Hamm, Naoma Hansen, Eleanor Heaton, Don Heck, Gordon Helling, Howard Hirz, Marjorie Hoare, Marion Holsten.

Fourth Row: Susan Holm, Agnes Hohmann, Caroline Holmberg, Audrey Holmes, Carol Howard, Irene Harvey, Rubana Howey, Clarence Hubbard.

Fifth Row: Mary Ann Hughes, Virginia Isaacson, Cecil Ice, Wallace Jaehn, Dorothy James, Joyce Jennings, Georgiana Johnson, Helen Johnson.

Sixth Row: Janice Johnston, Mary Alice Johnson, Betty Jolly, Donald Joslyn, Ruth Kafer, Edward Kammerer, Francis Koopman, James Keck.

Seventh Row: Roger Keck, Merlin Keiser, Velma Kellogg, Vivian Kempter, Wilmont Kellner, Katherine King, Mary King, Merle Kinport.

. . . Juniors

First Row: Joyce Kirby, Bob Knecht, Edwin Knodel, Mildred Koch, Eleanor Koers, Pauline Krebs, Edgar Kumley, Arthur LaCroix.

Second Row: Robert Lake, Walter Lampert, Lucille Lang, Dorothy Lange, Anes Larson, LaDonna Lee, Fred Lehman, Rose Lewis .

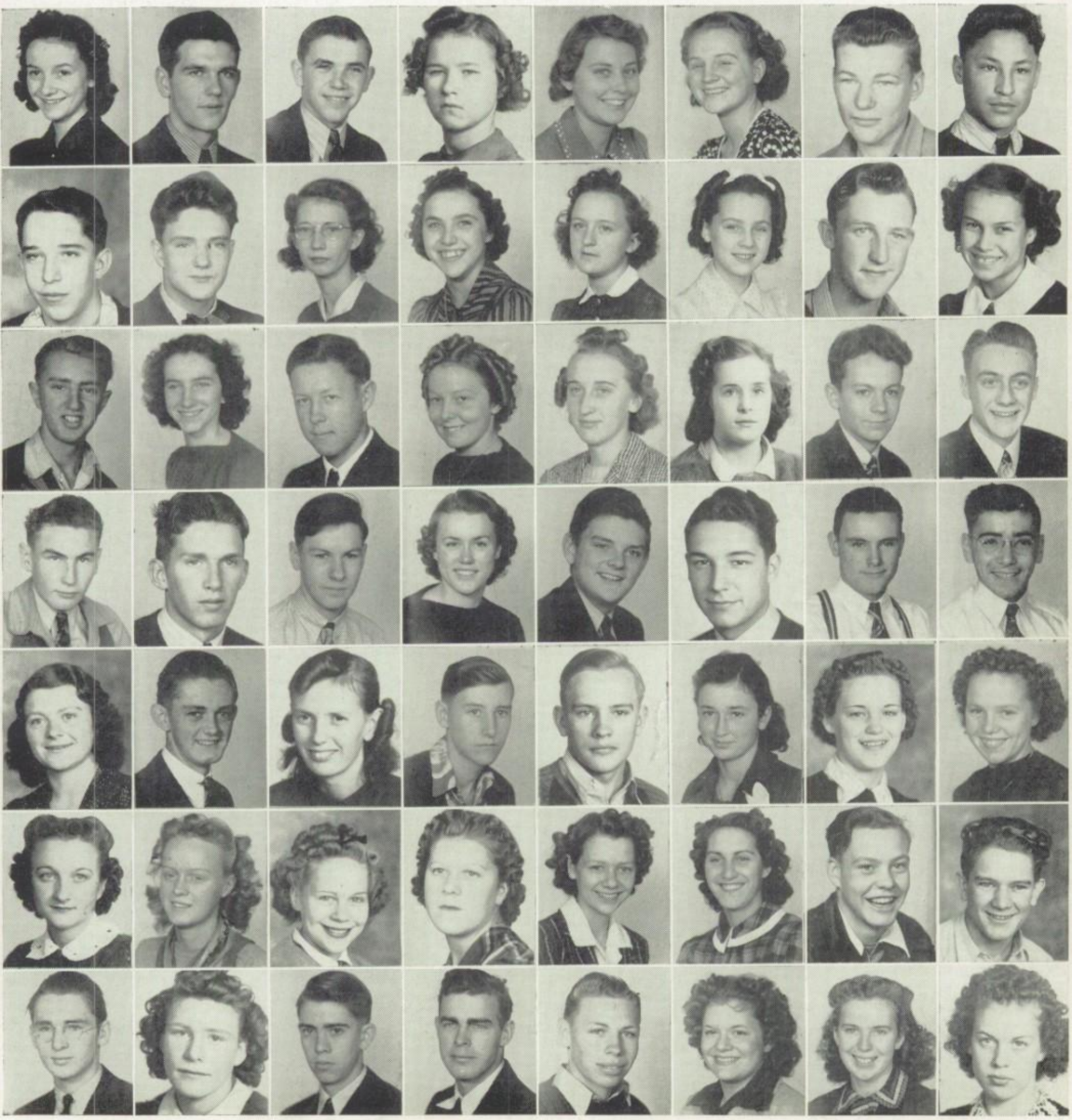
Third Row: Scotty Loban, Donna Lovell, Maurice Lux, Marion Lynn, Clara Mann, Mary Kathryn Manning, Don Mansfield, Robert March.

Fourth Row: Wesley Matson, Vivian Mayfield, Gordon McConachie, Ellen McDonald, James McDowell, Harold McGaa, Leonard McVay, Ted Mihran.

Fifth Row: Ardith Miller, Harold Miller, Clara Meyers, Elaine Nash, Lloyd Nelson, Arvilla Noltensmeier, Evelyn Norby, Doris Nordbye.

Sixth Row: Dolores Nordin, Marie Ofstad, Marvalle Olson, Ruby Olson, Lois Ohlen, Jean O'Meara, Ray Paulus, Harold Pengra.

Seventh Row, Bob Phillips, Ada Pigsley, Marcellus Pitz, Eugene Platt, Glen Poppe, Jacqueline Potter, Barbara Price, Doris Price.



Juniors . . .

First Row: Fern Raetz, James Rano, Marjorie Rathke, Cecil Reams, Margaret Reitz, Ellen Beth Renshaw, Catherine Rimer, Bill Roberts.

Second Row: Jelletta Rommel, Grace Rossier, Betty Jane Rowray, James Rudesill, Bertha Rumbolz, Frances Sattler, Clyde Savey, Berdina Schindler.

Third Row: Bernie Schmucker, George Schnaible, Cleo Schultz, Paul Schulze, Cathryn Semans, Francis Sheldon, Keith Shoun, Lucille Sikes.

Fourth Row: Virgina Sip, Dorn Slater, Lavon Slattery, Glen Slocum, Lee Smith, Dick Smith, Eka Snyder, Deloris Solberg.

Fifth Row: Foster Springsteen, Rose Mary Standley, Bill Staton, Frances Stevens, James Stoddard, Evelyn Stolt, Floyd Stone, Kenneth Stone.

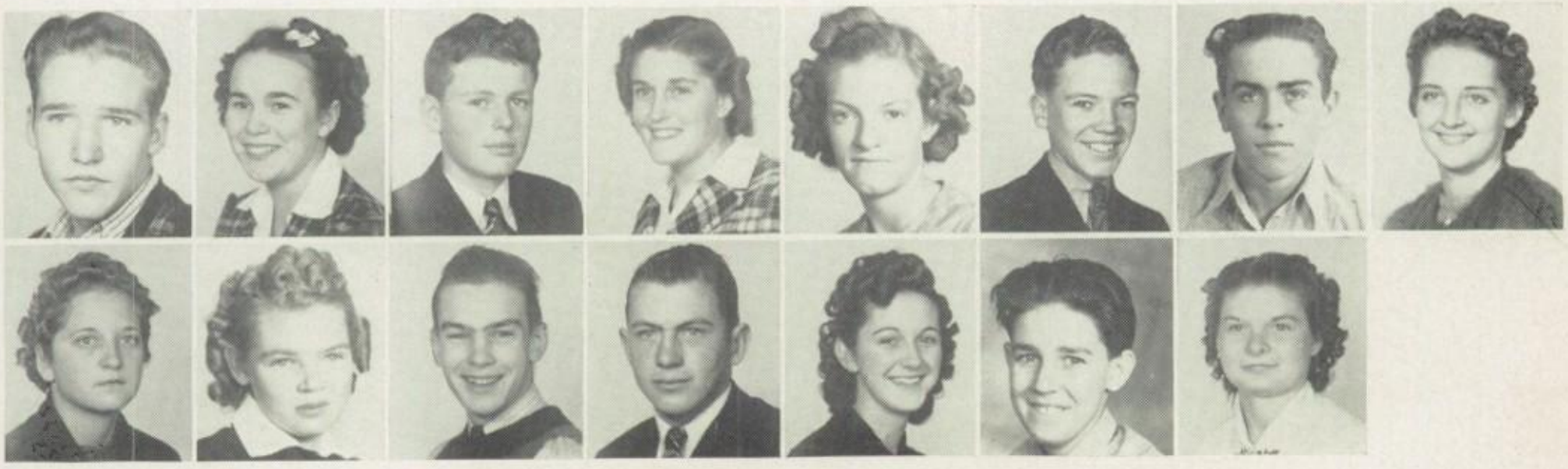
Sixth Row: Gordon Strand, Donna Stratton, Beverly, Stucker, Gladys Sullivan, Bernice Sutfin, Maxine Sutfin, Homer Swan, Evelyn Swanson.

Seventh Row: Evelyn Swinehart, Malisse Taylor, Betty Thayer, Doris Thompson, Dick Trompeter, Rebecca Trygstad, Joyce Vanderbeek, Marguerite Walker.

. . . Juniors

First Row: Harley Vroman, Kathryn Wagner, Jack Wells, Darleen West, Eleanor Weymouth, Herbert Whyte, Clarence Wickersham, Evelyn Wiley.

Second Row: Marjorie Wilsey, Maxine Williamson, Bob Wilson, Warren Withee, Alberta Wilburn, Dale Yeoman, Karleen Zimmerman.



JUNIORS WITHOUT PICTURES

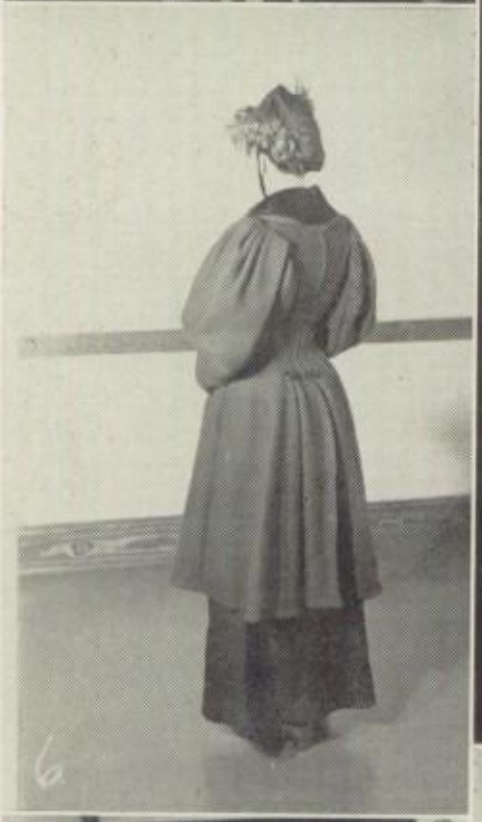
Lucille Lang
Helen Foley
Ann Anderson
Jack Frease
Myron Kinport
Alfred Pesek
Dale Jennings
Dale Jensen
Derma Briggs
Maxine Crane
Josephine Simons
Naomi Vosburg
Billy Baken
Jack Costello
Chapin Crawford
Bud DeLashmutt
Edward England
Everett Ermish
Raymond Hamm
Wayne Harter
William G. Lewis
Eugene Millette
Elwood Pelkey
Can Peterson
Howard Standley
Wesley Traner
Price Ward
Irene Flick
Jeanne Germain
Roma Rush
Orene Stolt
Viola Wipf
Doris Woods

In Memoriam

We dedicate this space to the memory of three juniors, Frances Flavin, Kenneth Lindquist, and Helen Ryther. Frances and Kenneth died September 16, 1939, in an automobile accident. They were both 15 years of age. Helen died October 4, 1939. She was 16 years old.

JUNIORS BUSY WITH THEIR MANY RESPONSIBILITIES . . .

1. Money, Money, Money, their main attraction. . . 2. Darn, I never could use a thimble.. . . 3. Another cause of absences, they eat what they burn. . . 4. Some Junior Class cooperation. . . 5. She can't get along without 'em. . . 6. Bustles are chic. . . 7. In God we trust, all others pay cash. . . 8. Now if she could only cook. . . 9. None of that hunt and peck method. . . 10. Another winner. . . 11. Spanish to them, Greek to me. . . 12. They each put in a penny.



SOPHOMORES

MISS ADAMS
Advisor

This year's Sophomore Class, one of the largest in the history of Rapid City High School, has shown the Juniors and Seniors that they know something about school spirit and school activities.

The Sophomore Class made their first concerted effort at entertaining the high school when they sponsored a Leap Year dance.

Since they have two years left, many hidden talents and powers may be brought out.

Thus the Sophomores promise much glory and honor to the Rapid City High School in the future.

Representative Sophomores

Bill Williams
Dorothy Lewis

Sophomore Advisory Committee

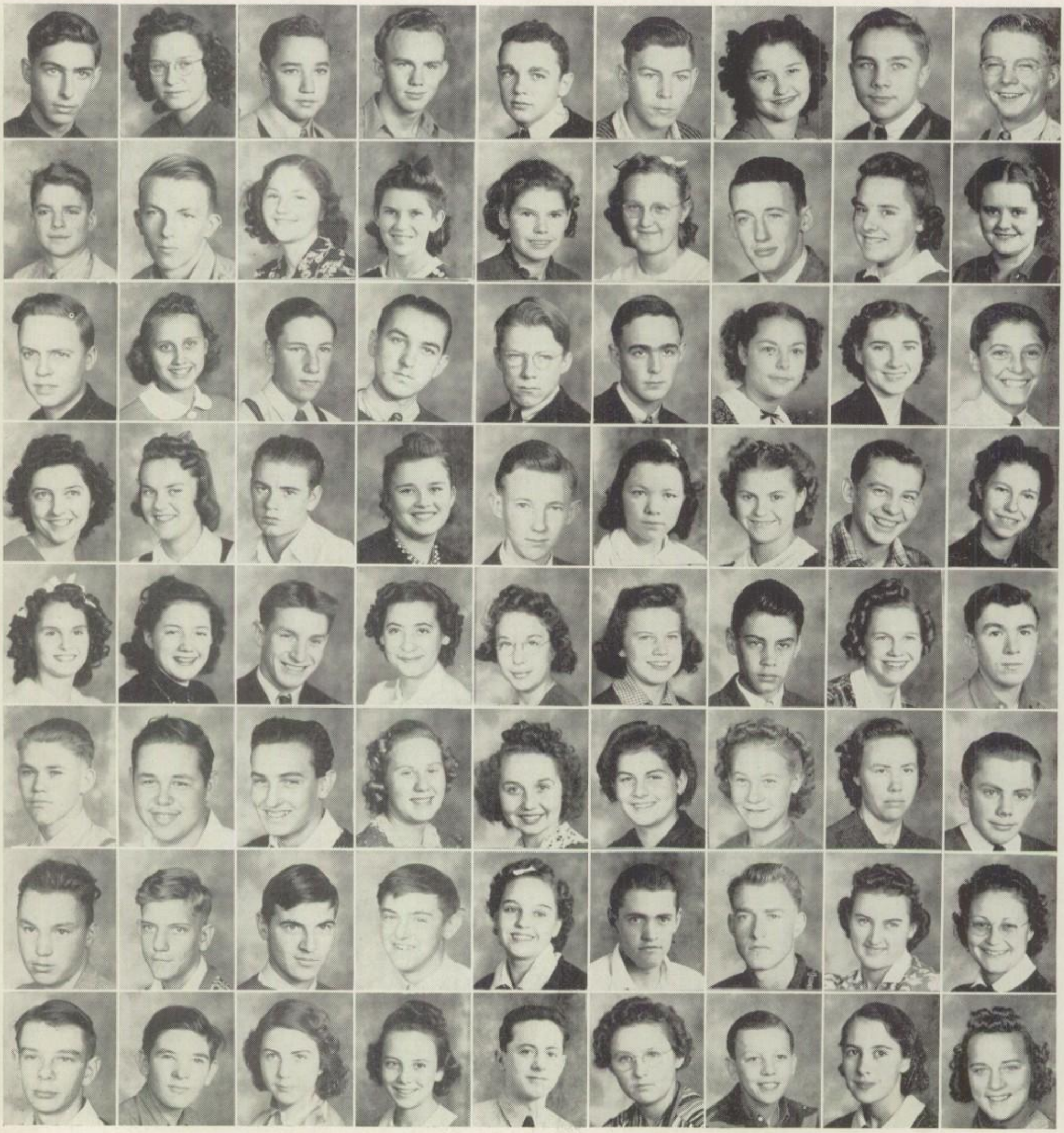
Bill Williams, President; Bruce Raymond, Vice President; Kermit Krogstrand, Secretary; Bill Anderson, Treasurer, Miss Adams, Advisor.

Group Representatives

Bette Davis, Vesper Crosswhite, Richard Grube, Noel Manley, Glendora French, Shirley Mattson, Betty Jean Pyle, Frank Simpson, Florence Taylor.

Sophomores . . .

1. Kenneth Ahrens, Ruth Allen, Frank Anderson, Leome Anderson, William Anderson, Ronald Andrews, Carol Angel, Frank Aukerman, Robert Back.
2. Everett Balcom, Jimmy Baldwin, Helen Balogh, Betty Jean Barber, Fannie Barber, Delores Behrens, Douglas Belson, Jean Bennet, Elaine Bermon.
3. Charles Boetker, Ruth Boson, Edwin Bratsveen, George Brewster, Edwin Brown, Harry Brown, Dorothy Bunge, Irene Burke, Donald Butler.
4. Dorothy Cady, Barbara Canfield, Henry Canfield, Edna Coates, Jack Collier, Esther Cooper, Donna Core, Richard Costello, Bonnie Coverly.
5. Delores Crane, Shirley Crosby, Vesper Crosswhite, Delphie Cuny, Verla Lee Curnow, Verly Dahl, Kenneth Damon,, Bette Davis, J. W. Davis.
6. William Deering, Bill Derrick, Everett Dockendorf, Elaine Eastman, Louise Edenburn, Ella Mae Ehler, Naomi Elshire, Hazel Ellison, James England.
7. Howard Evenson, Junior Feiseler, Raymond Ferguson, Warren Finch, Doeene Foley, Murl Foote, Fieldon Forkner, Arlene Frank, Glendora French.
8. Bill Fuhrman, Donald Garlinghouse, Arlene Geist, Clarabeth Gentzler, Billy George, Iris Gillis, Jerry Glaze, Bernice Gray, Florence Gray.



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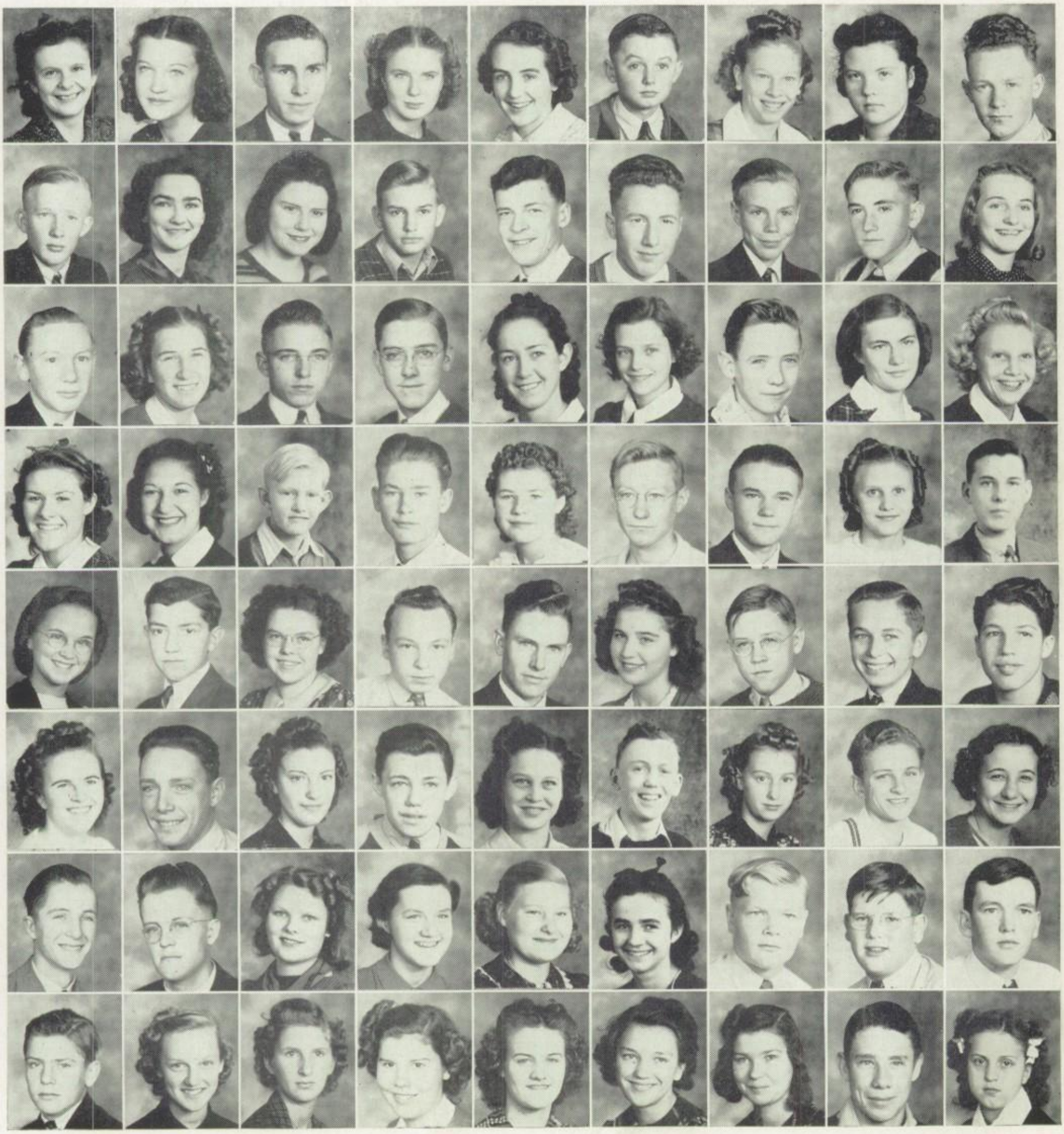
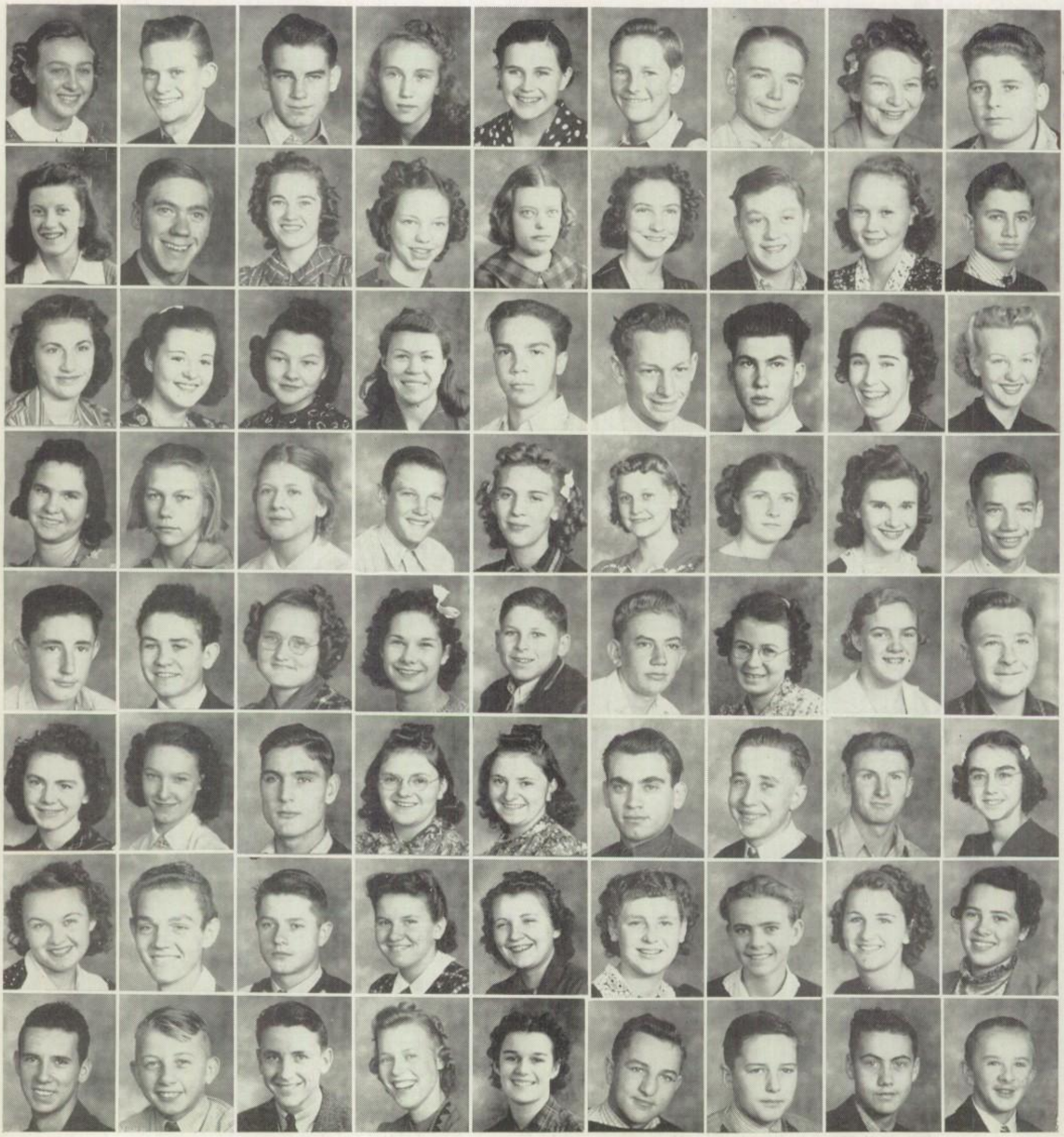
1. Helen Gregory, Shirley Grissom, Richard Grube, Vivian Gunion, Pauline Hagerman, Erwin Hahn, Ardys Ham, Grace Ham, Robert Hamm.
2. Paul Hammerquist, Carol Harrington, Eleanor Harris, Caroll Hart, Don Haskins, Ray Hatz, Lester Hauff, Duane Hauschild, Lilas Hayenga.
3. Maurice Hedin, Elinor Herried, Leo Hessman, Edwin Hibbard, Virginia Hibbard, Diane Higbee, John Hill, Allegra Hirz, Shirley Holm.
4. Barbara Hood, Beulah Housiaux, Billy Houk, LeRoy Howey, Ramona Howey, Earl Huntington, John Hurlbut, Mette Iverson, Robert Jaehn.
5. Audrey Jennings, Keith Jennings, Elaine Jernstrom, Benj. Johnson, Clarence Johnson, Jean Johnson, Robert A. Johnson, Robert Johnson, Owen Johnson.
6. Anna Jones, Boyd Jones, Mary Kamback, Francis Kapaun, Edna Kemmish, LaVerne Kiel, Genevieve Knutson, Russell Koch, Idella Kreber.
7. Kermit Krogstrand, Orion Krogstrand, Leola Kuhlman, Vera Kukuk, Wilma Lampe, Lillian Lampke, Ray Langen, James Laughlin, John Laughlin.
8. Randolph Lee, Dorothy Lewis, Dorothy Linde, Frances Lockhart, Betty Lou Lowell, Irma Lowell, Alice Lytle, Noel Manley, Jean Manning.



Sophomores . . .

1. Theresa March, Donald Markland, Richard Mathews, Shirley Matson, Lucille Matt, Donald Mattson, Robert McAllister, Zola McCall, Robert McGinn.
2. Alene Micle, Alto Mickley, Esther Mitzlaff, Iris Morris, Beverly Moshier, Willetta Muller, Norman Munderloh, Selma Munsen, Thomas Murnane.
3. Mary A. Myers, Martha Nash, Lucille Normon, Maude E. Oldham, Elmer Olmstead, Francis O'Neill, Burton Opstodahl, Ella Mae Parrott, Patty Pyne.
4. Frances Perli, Lorraine Peterson, Patricia Peterson, Darrel Powers, Elinor Price, Betty Jean Pyle, Adel Quarnberg, Dorothy Quasnik, Rolland Raetz.
5. Robert Ray, Bruce Raymond, Idell Reed, Myrtle Reeves, David Renshaw, Wallace Robidow, Betty Jean Rollins, Doris Root, James Roseboom.
6. Bonnie Rowe, Betty Runner, Eugene Sagen, Donna Lou Sampson, Emma L. Sampson, Zollie Santo, Don Schieferstein, John Schindler, Ardelle Schmidt.
7. Ruby Schmidt, Marvin Schriner, Howard Scott, Shirley Scott, June Scotvold, Donna Lee Shank, Donald Sikes, Helen Simmons, LaVonne Simmons.
8. Frank Simpson, Stanley Singspiel, Leo Skinner, Betty Smith, Norma Smith, Fred Snyder, Wesley Steinburg, Hilton Stemwedle, Leland Stolberg.



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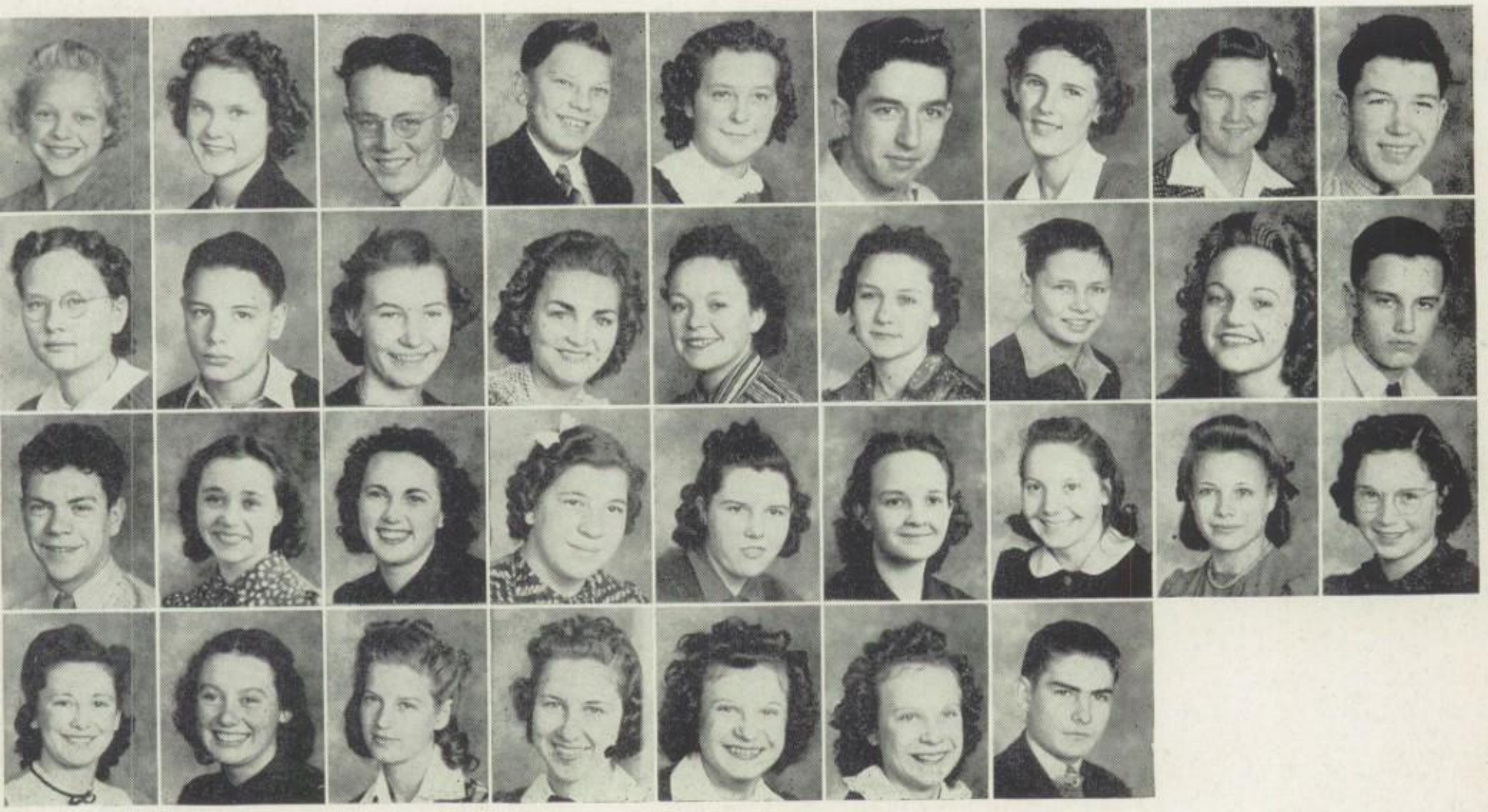
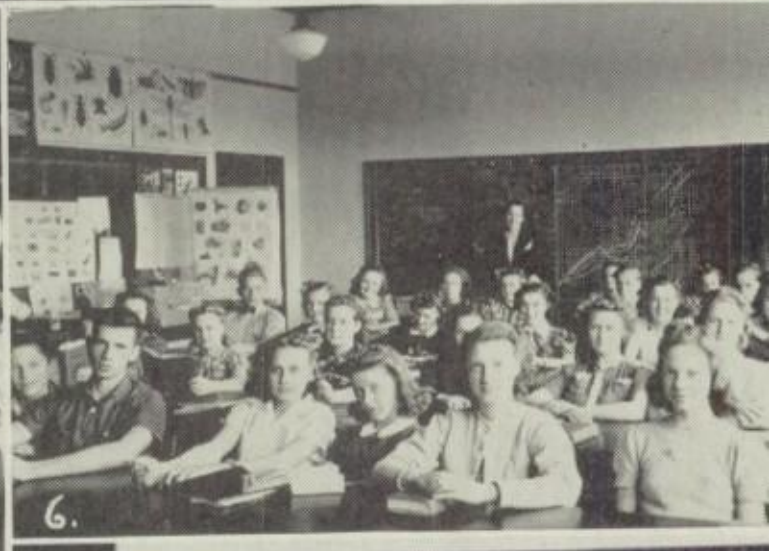
Doris Stone, Barbara Sutherland, John Swanson, Oliver Swanson, Florence Taylor, Robert Thurlow, Marion Tidrick, Rita Trompeter, Robert Traner. Marjorie Troth, George Trotman, Iris Tyrrell, Ruth Vopat, Frances Welsh, Patty Westover, Bill Wheelock, Loretta Wilburn, Wayne Wiley. Bill Williams, Edna Williams, Florence Williamson, Arlene Wilson, Mary Francis Wintrode, Lois Wise, Shirley Wise, Mavis Wohlheuter, Ann Wolf. Mavis Yahne, Sara Lee Yetter, Mary Yirka, Virginia Yost, Bernice Zimmel, Margie Zimmel, Robert Zimmerman.



SOPHOMORES WITHOUT PICTURES

Derma Briggs
Maxine Crane
Helen Crowser
Edward De Fratis
John DeNoma
Dorothy Erickson
Margaret Hatton
Virginia Hill
Dale Jennings
Richard Keifer
Levi Kendall
James Lukens
Bonnie Moser
Charlotte Myers
Sydney Potter
Alma Rose
Harvey Rose
Josephine Simsons
Bruce Sisk
Elvin Snyder
Kenneth Waters

Sophomore Autographs



Sophomores Participate . . .

1. A Brown's eye view. . . 2. Attention please! . . 3. Studying. . . 4. Must be the model. . . 5. Ah, come on now, let's dance! . . 6. Who cares about bugs? . . 7. Quiet! Men at work. . . 8. Miss McCullough's class. . . 9. Give us the pep jug. . . 10. Serious Business. . . 11. Come on kids, let's jit! . .

Sophomore Autographs

JUNIOR HIGH ANTICIPATES . . .

1. How Kola Staff members—we regret that lack of space prevents our printing more pictures. . . 2. Officers of the Etiquette Clubs—businesslike and efficient. . . 3. Guardians of our safety—the Student Police. . . 4. Vox Schol executives—Kenneth, Jean, and Bob. . . 5. Choral Speaking Club—Careful of your diction, girls. . . 6. Future tradesmen learning the basis of manual arts. . . 7. From the Christmas pageant—one of the prettiest productions of the year. . . 8. When bigger and better dances are given the Etiquette Club will give 'em.

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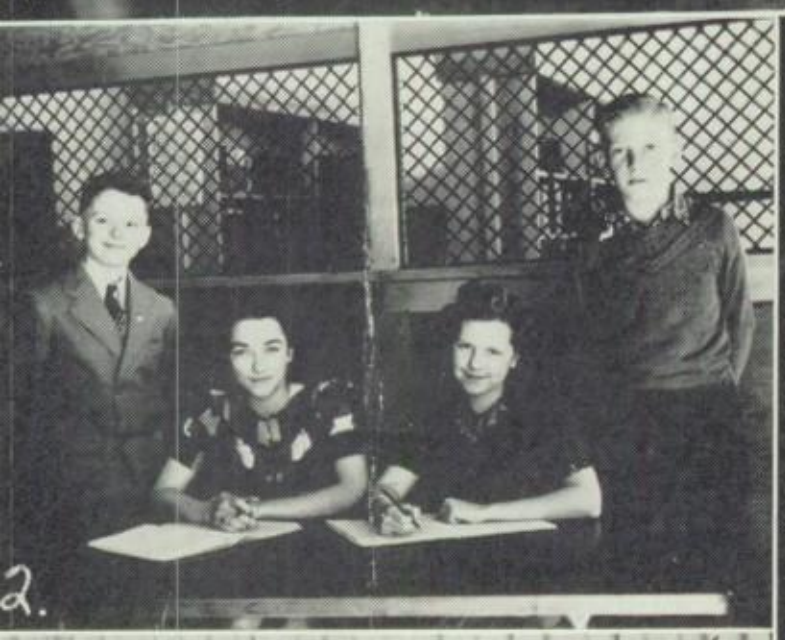
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Autographs

The PINE CONE

CLUBS

L and L Club

The Library and Literary Club girls serve their school by checking out magazines and books to their schoolmates. In so doing, they gain a knowledge of fundamental principles of library organization, a familiarity with many books and authors, and a fellowship with all lovers of good books. Their bi-weekly meetings are planned to include both fun and information.

Members: Carol Atkinson, Polly Bausch, Ursula Benoit, Bonnie Coverly, Maxine Crawley, Ruby Dimond, Elaine Eastman, Hazel Ellison, Mildred Ewing, Deone Frease, Lois Green, Caroline Holmberg, Helen Johnson, LaVerda Jensen, Vinetta Johnson, Georgiana Johnson, Janice Johnston, Betty Jolly, Ruth Kafer, Dorothy Lange, Betty Mabbott, Florence Munderloh, Doris Price, Jean Schurger, Bernetta Seidel, Patricia Soutar, Evelyn Swanson, Lillian Toreson, Joyce Vanderbeek, Florence Varie, Lorraine Watters, Darlene West, June Wintrode.

Officers, First Semester: Joyce Vanderbeek, President; Darlene West, Vice President: Betty Mabbott, Secretary-Treasurer. Second Semester: Lorraine Watters, President; Jean Schurger, Vice President; Janice Johnston, Secretary-Treasurer; Miss Zeimet, Advisor.

"FOR INFORMATION SEE US"

English Arts Club

The English Arts Club includes students interested in any of the arts of our language; speaking, dramatizing, reading or writing. Members participate in all activities that would interest them.

The radio broadcasters include choral speaking, plays, and music on their monthly program over the radio.

Many members correspond with students from countries all over the world, and many other students who like to write have a chance to enter contests and to write parts for the broadcasters.

"ACTORS AND WRITERS OF RCHS"

Members: Carol Atkinson, Theresa Behrens, Ursula Benoit, Charlotte Bolm, Ruth Berglund, Marilyn Burton, Maxine Crawley, Melba Davis, Irene Erickson, Mildred Ewing, Marjorie Ham, Hazel Ham, Annette Johnson, Vinetta Johnson, Virgie Johnson, Lucille Jones, Dorothy Kluthe, Viola Mueller, Jacqueline Munson, Selma Munson, Leo Reed, Oliver Swanson, Marjorie Shearn, Ruth Strom, Georgiana Johnson, Jean Schurger, Evelyn Swanson, Betty Mabbott, Idella Follett, Ed Hackett, Bob McConachie, Joe Burke, Jerry Brennan, Bob Johnson, Zoe Burrington, Susan Holm, Vivian Gunion, Anna Jones, Bonnie Rowe, Elinor Price, Alfred Brickley, Carroll Smith, Jean Miser, Patricia Soutar, James Roseboom, Evelyn Swinehart, Lenore Walpole, June Smith.

Officers Marjorie Shearn, President; Ruth Berglund, Vice President; Betty Lou Mabbott, Treasurer; Theresa Behrens, Secretary; Miss Moses, Miss McCullough, Miss Johnson, Advisors.

Commercial Club

Commercial Club was started in Rapid City High in January, 1938, with Miss Rohde as advisor. The club's aim is to acquaint its members with business transactions.

"THE BASIS OF ALL BUSINESS"

Members: Joyce Kirby, Norma Jean Kelly, Bertha Wilson, Irene Ericson, Lorraine Bauer, Doris Cole, Louise Williams, Evelyn Swanson, Violet Solberg, Annette Johnson, Betty Christianson, Clara Mann, Jacqueline Munson, Marie Ofstad, Virginia Sip, Georgiana Johnson, Eleanor Koers, Roger Charlton, Jean Miser, Joe Burke, Joyce Vanderbeek, Alfred Brickley, Lorene Williamson, Dolores Garrey, Don Mansfield, Alice Meister, Helen Carson, Ruth Ann Hamm, Agnes Larson, Mildred Aronson, Dorothy Dier, Dorothy Kluthe, Gene Faulkner, Carroll Smith, Lauramae Braden, Zoe Burrington, Helen Baumgartner.

Officers: Dolores Garrey, President; Jean Miser, Vice President; Helen Baumgartner, Secretary; Alfred Brickley, Treasurer; Georgiana Johnson, Reporter; Miss Gass, Advisor.

Home Economics Club

"THE WAY TO A MAN'S HEART—"

The Home Economics Club was organized about 1936. Last year the club spent most of the time talking about personal appearance. The first semester of this year was spent doing crocheting and knitting while the second semester is being spent on personal appearance. Beauty operators from beauty shops down town have given demonstrations and explanatory talks to the members.

Members: Mildred Aronson, Gladys Best, Dorothea Briggs, Dorothy Erickson, Doneene Foley, Arlene Frank, Olive Gates, Ruth Ann Ham, Mary Hamm, Eleanor Heaton, Geraldine Hesnard, Virginia Hibbard, Allegra Hirz, Doris Hodgin, Shirley Holm, Marian Holsten, Beuhlah Hoosier, Dorothy James, Joyce Jennings, LaVerda Jensen, Anna Jones, Mary Eileen Jordon, Idella Kreber, Betty Lou Mabbott, Ella Mae Parrott, Myrtle Peenes, Jean Schurger, Ferne Sierth, Rosemary Standley, Lillian Toreson, June Wilson, Ruby Lamke, Victoria McCloskey, Mary Osborne, Viola Wipf, Catherine Rimer, Katherine Burch, Marie Ofstad.

Officers: Dorothy James, President; Ella Mae Parrott, Vice President; Joyce Jennings, Secretary; Rosemary Standley, Treasurer; Miss Kumlein, Miss Hofstad, Miss Wright, Advisors.

Spanish Club

The purpose of the Spanish Club is two-fold. It desires to promote a general interest in picturesque Spanish life and customs and it hopes to enable the members to secure a better understanding and knowledge of the Spanish language.

The club meetings are sometimes devoted to business meetings, followed by games, contests, and songs. The interest of the club members is greatly enhanced by speeches given by people who have traveled in Spanish-speaking countries and have become acquainted with its people.

Members: Dolores Garrey, Irene Ericson, Kathleen Driscoll, Jean Manning, Olive Gates, Donald Markland, Harold Miller, Audrey Anderson, Frances Perli, Sybil Cosgrove, Olive Lee, Lauramae Braden, Susan Holm, Shirley Crosby, Robert Back, Mary Joyce Burton, Carroll Hart.

Officers: Ted Whiting, President; Mary McCray, Vice President; Lucille Jones, Secretary; Miss Grace Nichols, sponsor.

"IN SPAIN THEY SAY SI, SI!"

Poster Club

Poster Club's activities this year have not been confined to the usual poster making, although posters were made for numerous school events.

Several members enjoyed constructing a sheep and a woolly little lamb for the junior high Christmas program, and two of the girls made a very appetizing (?) boar's head for "Christmas in Old England."

When in a more serious mood, the club studied and discussed books and articles on various fine art topics.

Members: Ruth Vosburg, Roma Rush, Belva Vaughan, Ursula Benoit, Elaine Saxer, Mary Beranek, Mary Alice Meyers, Jerry Brennan, Gordon Sage, Mary Osborne, Marietta Haney, Jack Chubb, Alice Meister, Irma Lowell, Ardith Miller, Helen Hughes.

Officers: Gordon Sage, President; Mary Beranek, Vice President; Alice Meister, Secretary; Mary Alice Meyers, Treasurer; Miss Adamson, Sponsor.

"SCHOOL ACTIVITY ADVERTISERS"

Pep Club

The goal of the Pep Club is to keep the Rapid City High School leading in good sportsmanship. This year the Pep Club secured for its members a reserved section at the basketball games. This year the membership was increased to fifty-three members.

The first team cheering squad consists of Bud Levinson, Dolores Garrey, Betty Lou Gaskill, Dorothy Lloyd, and Vivian Kempter. The second team cheering squad is composed of Merlin Keiser, Jim Hackett, Evelyn Stolt, Fern Raetz, Beulah Housiaux, and Rita Trompeter.

Members: Helen Baumgartner, Dolores Behrens, Ruther Boasen, Mary Lou Brewster, Dona Claire Core, Delores Crane, Shirley Crosby, Patricia Dawkins, Dorothy Dier, Naomi Elshire, Dorothy Ericson, Idela Follett, Doneene Foley, Dolores Garrey, Betty Lou Gaskill, Evelyn Geist, Clarabeth Gentzler, Genevieve Goering, Shirley Grissom, Jimmy Hackett, Lloyd Harris, Adele Hart, Irene Harvey, Virginia Hibbard, Shirley June Holm, Buelah Housiaux, Betty Jolly, Merlin Keiser, Vivian Kempter, Joyce Kirby, Kay Krogstrand, Dorothy Lange, Bud Levinson, Dorothy Lloyd, Alene Mickle, Lucretia Morris, Jean O'Meara, Patty Payne, Barbara Price, Fern Raetz, Betty Rowray, June Smith, Dona Lee Shank, John Swanson, Evelyn Stolt, Rita Trompeter, Iris Tyrrell, Joyce Vanderbeek, Ann Wolff, Patty Westover, Shirley Wise, Kathryn Wagner.

Officers: Bud Levinson, President; Vivian Kempter, Secretary; Mr. Moser, Sponsor.

"WHAT'S THE MATTER WITH RAPID?"

Twirling Club

Because of the increased interest taken in baton twirling this year, the Twirling Club was organized in order to maintain this enthusiasm and to study the various aspects of twirling form. Not only interest in the art is necessary for membership, but a required number of twirls and a certain amount of skill are needed. Squads composed entirely of girls have performed at both football and basketball games, entertaining crowds with their effective routines.

"ARTISTS OF SCHOOL SPIRIT"

Members: Fern Raetz, Helen Gravatt, Doris Nordbye, Willetta Muller, Pattie Howarth, Mary Yirka, Dorothy Lloyd, Bill Jennings, Clyo Coler, Willis Newby, Bob Johnson, Oliver Swanson, Charles Burgess, Donald Stone, Bob Joslyn, Harry Wise, Eugene Lee, Kenneth Knutson, Robert March, Ronald Hayenga, Theresa March, Verley Dahl, Doris Stone, Barbara Bruce, Mabel Barton, Mavis Odell, Bonnie Smith, Betty Jolly, Vivian Kempter, Juliette Schumaker, Thelma Slater, Pauline Kempter, Adele Quarnberg, Betty Davis, Maxine Loben, Shirley Kiel, Elaine Fitzgerald.

Officers: Buster Hart, President; Ruth Fankell, Secretary; Buddy Hart, Treasurer; Miss Gore and Miss Aisenbrey, Advisors.

Physics-Chemistry Science Club

The Physics-Chemistry Science Club is composed of students who are taking physics or chemistry, or who are interested in these sciences.

The meetings are devoted to demonstrations, such as the photo-electric cell, and the technograph, and to field trips to Mr. Clyde Moller's amateur radio station, to the weather station, to the Elks Theatre, and to other interesting places.

Members: Jerry Brennan, Chapin Crawford, Marietta Haney, Donald Hansen, Viola Mueller, Donald Nehrenberg, Virgil Price, Bob Phillips, Vivian Schneider, Howard Standley, Elton Stolberg, Evelyn Swinehart, Bob Trankle.

Officers: Ed DeLand, President; Ted Whiting, Vice President; Helen Scott, Secretary-Treasurer; Mr. Prunty and Mr. Fundingsland, Advisors.

"WHEREFOR OF ATOMS AND IONS"

Rifle Club

To learn to handle firearms safely and to improve marksmanship have been the objectives of the combined rifle clubs throughout their third year. Awards, both medals and certificates, are provided by the NRA to show marksmanship progress.

This year two teams of ten members each were entered in the competitive bi-weekly matches of the Junior Division of the National Rifle Asscciation. Both teams began firing in class "D" but team I has advanced into class "B" and team II into class "C".

"ZIP! IT'S A BULLSEYE!"

Members: Kingsley Barlow, Morgan Cullom, Kenneth Damon, James Doyle, Richard Gotz, Bill Groethe, Bob Hamm, Lloyd Harris, Don Haskins, John Hill, Francis Koppman, Kermit Krogstrand, Mike Krogstrand, Robert Lake, John Laughlin, Leonard Melvin, Ralph Mickle, Elaine Nash, Marcellus Pitz, Bruce Raymond, Wesley Steinberg, Harvey Taylor, George Trotman, Bill Wheelock, Keigh Shoun, Jelleta Rommel, Twyla Lessard, Frances Stevens, Ruth Ann Hamm, Janice Johnston, Elaine Barnes, Jean Barta, Neva Bretschneider, Ruth Vosburg, Martha Nash, Roma Rush, Shirley Scott, Elaine Jernstrom, Bonnie Smith, Dorothy Lewis, Sara Lee Yetter.

Boys' Officers: Leonard Melvin, President; Kingsley Barlow, Vice President; Marcellus Pitz, Secretary-Treasurer; Mr. Kaufman, Advisor. Girls' Officers: Neva Bretschneider, President; Elaine Jernstrom, Vice President; Elaine Barnes, Secretary-Treasurer; Miss Brown, Advisor.

Girl Reserves

The Girl Reserves is an organization of senior high girls organized under the Y. W. C. A.

Its symbol is the blue triangle. The sides of the triangle symbolize mental, spiritual and physical guidance. The purpose of the club is to face life squarely.

Members: Ruth Elaine Allen, Gladys Barber, Lorraine Bauer, Lola Bennett, Jean Bennett, Ruth Boasen, Charlotte Bolm, Mary Joyce Burton, Willa Jean Coats, Doris Cole, Lois Green, Elizabeth Daly, Gene Faulkner, Betty Haden, Hazel Ham, Marjorie Ham, Ruth Ann Ham, Ramona Howey, Rubana Howey, Barbara Hood, Elaine Jernstrom, Virgie Johnson, Lucille Jones, Louise L'Esperance, Dorothy Lewis, Marian Lynn, Theresa March, Clara Mann, Shirley Matson, Lucille Matt, Alene Mickle, Willetta Muller, Selma Munson, Mary McCray, Phyllis Muller, Adele Quarnberg, Beth Rogers, Betty Runner, Vivian Schneider, Shirley Scott, LaVonne Simmons, Evelyn Swinehart, Pauline Schiesser, Rita Trompeter, Iris Tyrrell, Patty Westover, Sara Lee Yetter.

Officers: Charlotte Harrison, President; Theresa Behrens, Vice President; Annette Johnson, Secretary; Helen Scott, Treasurer.

"REACHING TOWARD THE BEST"

Arts and Crafts Club

The Arts and Crafts Club, under the leadership of Mr. Anderson, is a limited club of twenty-five members.

On Wednesday nights the members come to the Manual Training Shop for demonstrations on lathes, sanders, power saws, etc. presented by Mr. Anderson.

Dues of the club are ten cents a month, payable on the first meeting of every month.

Members: Frank Anderson, Arthur Bissenden, George Brewster, Morris Burch, Dale Cochren, Vesper Crosswhite, Jerry Glaze, LeRoy Howey, Bob Johnson, Darrell Kinport, Darrell Lessard, Francis O'Neil, David Renshaw, Duane Rohrs, Vernon Schafer, Donald Schieferstein, Howard Scott, Oliver Swanson, Wayne Wiley, Thomas Zolpher, Russell Koch, Kenneth Johnson.

Officers: Darrell Kinport, President; Duane Rohrs, Vice President; Russell Koch, Secretary-Treasurer; Mr. Anderson, Sponsor.

"MASTERS OF THE WORKSHOP"

Math Club

The Math Club is composed of about twenty members, ten girls and ten boys. The club was founded in 1930 and has been in existence continuously since then with the exception of one school term.

At their meetings the club members report on various topics such as lives of mathematicians, early number system and methods of counting and computing, the fourth dimension and trick problems.

The decorating of a mathematical Christmas tree in the main floor lobby has been the project of the first semester for the past three years.

Members: Ursula Benoit, Jerry Brennan, Bud Cullom, Bill Evans, Doris Hayenga, Roger Keck, Caroline Holmberg, Kermit Krogstrand, Clarence Johnson, Edith Johnson, Irma Lowell, Steve Marros, Pauline Schiesser, Helen Scott, Earl Underwood, Bill Williams, Warren Withee.

Officers: Edith Johnson, President; Jerry Brennan, Vice President; Pauline Schiesser, Secretary; Caroline Holmberg, Treasurer; Miss Krieger, Sponsor.

"EINSTEIN'S ARDENT FOLLOWERS"

General Science Club

"SCIENTISTS IN THE MAKING"

The Physical Geography-General Science-Biology Science Club was formed to give students in the given classes entertainment and a chance to do extra work. The ninth grade science students were admitted because no regular junior high science club was formed. Experiments and demonstrations put on by the members are the main activities.

Members: Donald Hesnard, Idelle Reed, Ardelle Schmidt, Carol Hart, Geraldine Lynn, Elmer Olmstead.

Officers: William Lincoln, President; Ronald Hayenga, Secretary-Treasurer; Miss Roberts, Mr. Van Gerpen, Mr. Jones, advisors.

Swing Club

The Swing Club was organized this year for the purpose of studying present-day orchestra leaders and song hits of the past few years.

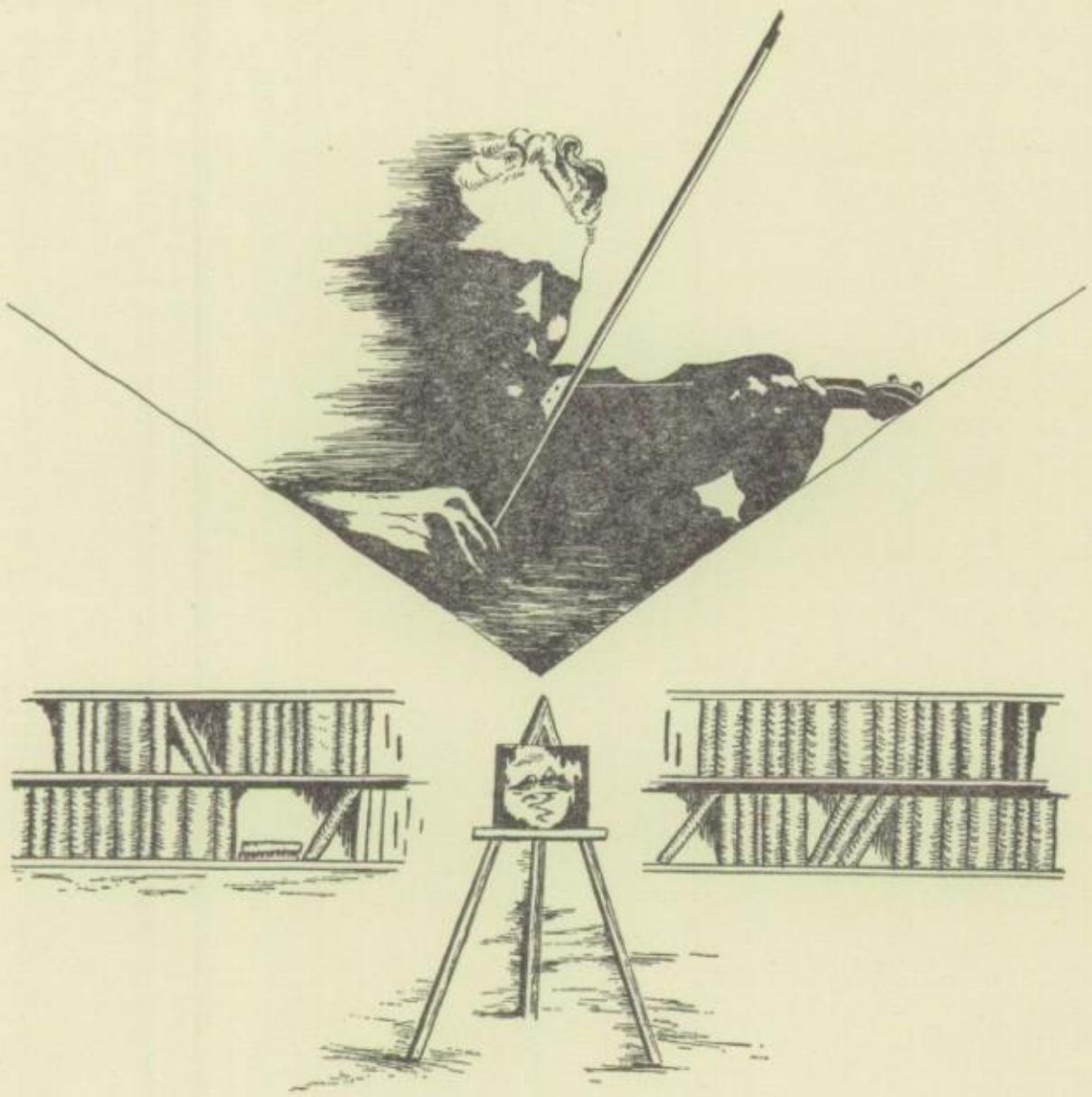
A swing orchestra, composed of members of the club, plans a senior high assembly as one of the final activities of the year.

Members: Bette Jeanne Rowray, Patricia Westover, Ruth Elaine Allen, Dorothy James, Delores Crane, Doneene Foley, Beulah Housiaux, Lavon Slattery, Catherine Rimer, Ruth Ann Ham, Virginia Yost, Frank Bailey, George Flavin, Bill Lintz, Keith Jennings, Edward Clark, Clarabeth Gentzler, Dona Claire Core, Vivian Schneider, Bonnie Smith, Mary Yirka, Louise Williams, Jimmy Keck, Marjorie Wilsey, Ruth Fankell, Mary McCray, Ralph Barnett, Bob Newby, Bob Hood, Ralph Carpenter, Caroline Holmberg, La Donna Lee, Doris Thompson, Lauramae Braden, Gail Gerlach, Joyce Kirby, Myrtle Ashmore, Mary Kathryn Manning, Dorothy Lloyd, Lucretia Morris, Dorothy Kluthe, Ruth Berglund, Dolores Garrey, Glen Mellgren, Lawrence Allen, Lewis Carr, Bill Evans, Charlotte Harrison, Ruth Boasen, Alene Mickle, Rita Trompeter, Shirley Grissom, Dorothy Lewis, Sara Lee Yetter, Theresa March, Adele Quarnberg.

Officers: Jimmy Keck, President; Ralph Barnett, Vice President; Ruth Berglund, Secretary; Mary McCray, Treasurer; Mr. Bullock, Advisor.

"SWING, SWING, SWING"

The PINE CONE



ACTIVITIES

C. C. JACOBSON

Debate Club

This year the debate team of Rapid City High School has completed one of its most successful seasons. They have participated in three major invitational tournaments, winning first place in two of the three, those being the Central South Dakota Tournament at Pierre, and the American Legion Tourney at Spearfish. The "B" team of Rapid City High School tied for first place in the other major tournament at Greeley, Colorado.

This year, also, the forensic speakers participated in the divisionad tournament, consisting of schools from Sturgis, Kadoka, and Rapid City. Rapid won that tournament in debate. Speaking for Rapid were: Art Schnose, Virgil Price and Bud Levinson. In the Extemporaneous Contest Kathryn Wagner participated. Leo Reed was the speaker in the Original Oratory division.

The debate team also participated in the State tournament at Aberdeen.

Members: Bud Levinson, Virgil Price, Buster Hart, Buddy Hart, Barbara Canfield, Barbara Sutherland, Arthur Schnose, Randolph Lee, Betty Clement, Dorothy James, James Roseboom, Kay Krogstrand, and Kathryn Wagner. The advisor and debate coach is C. C. Jacobson.

"MY COLLEAGUE AND I HAVE SHOWN—"

"SPEAKERS OF THE SCROLL"

Declamation

Declamation is a section of forensics which is divided into four divisions; namely, poetry, dramatic, humorous and oratory. Students memorize readings under these divisions and present their readings at the annual declamatory contest.

In the oratory division the students who entered were Kathryn Wagner, Susan Holm, Leo Reed, and Gordon Sage. Mr. Jacobson coached this section. Marjorie Hume, Lilas Hayenga, Elinor Price, Mary Alice Johnson, Adele Quarnberg, Mavis Wohlhueter, Elinor Herried and James Roseboom were in the humorous section with Miss Sogn in charge. In the poetry division were Irma Lowell, Ardith Miller, Jean Miser, Dorothy Olson, Annabelle Tenaell, Dorothy Lewis and Charlotte Meyers. Miss Martens heads this group. In the dramatics division, with Miss Wider at the head, were Barbara Hood, Helen Gravatt, Sara Lee Yetter, Gladys Barber, and Ruth Strom.

The students who represented Rapid City at Hot Springs in the District Declamation Contest were: Ruth Strom, dramatics; Jean Miser, poetry; James Roseboom, humorous; and Leo Reed, oratory. Jean Miser and Ruth Strom both won first place for their division in the District Tournament.

Operetta

"ALL AT SEA"

Stevens-Loomis

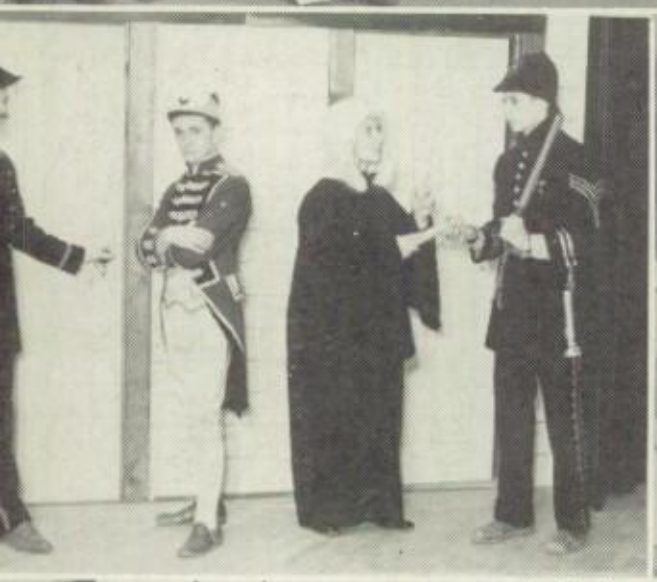
Feb. 27, 1940

Four Twosomes

Influential Fairies

Pinafore Crew
with Little Buttercup
and Dick Deadeye

The Mikado and
his Japanese
atmosphere



Four Notables:
Captain Corcoran
Sir Joseph Porter
Lord Chancellor
Sergeant of Police

Sir Joseph with
his feminine
relatives

The Police—
bulwark of
society

The Pirates of
Pervance

Tap Quintet

Accompanists

Ushers

GERTRUDE BACHMANN

Chorus

The RCHS "A" Chorus, under Miss Bachmann, has reached its highest mark in membership with ninety boys and girls signed up.

This year the chorus took a bus trip to Deadwood to sing for the SDEA. Other performances of the year were Open House, Rotary Club, High School Assembly program, Christmas Pageant, Operetta, "All At Sea," West River Music Festival, and Baccalaureate and Commencement.

Members: Lawrence Allen, Bill Baken, Mabelle Barton, Theresa Behrens, Bill Beranek, Carl Bergerson, Ruth Berglund, Charlotte Bolm, Eugene Bolton, Benson Braithwaite, Russell Brunstead, Joe Burke, Frank Carr, Lewis Carr, Dona Claire Core, Harold Cottrill, Delores Crane, Maxine Crawley, Dorothy Dier, Bill Evans, Carol Forest, Alice Gibbs, Gale Goodwin, Edward Hacket, Lorraine Hackett, Betty Haden, Hazel Ham, Marjorie Ham, Mary Hamm, Raymond Hamm, Charlotte Harrison, Doris Hayenga, Kenneth Herried, Robert Hood, Carol Howard, Mary Ann Hughes, Glenn Hyde. Dorothy James, Clarence Johnson, Helen Johnson, Anna Jones, Jimmie Keck, Roger Keck, Dorothy Kluthe, Bob Knecht, Maxine Kuiken, Pearl Kukuk, Dan Leedy, Louise L'Esperance, Myron Levinson, Dona Lovell, Mike Manley, Steve Marros, James McDowell, Leonard Melvin, Otto Mikley, Ardith Miller, Jean Miser, Viola Mueller, Phyllis Muller, Norman Munderloh, Arvilla Noltensmeier, Doris Nordbye, Jean O'Meara, Ella Mae Parrot, Barbara Price, Doris Price, Leo Reed, Evelyn Rehurek, Catherine Rimer, Bob Roberts, Bonnie Rowe, George Schmid, Arthur Schnose, LaVaughn Schultz, Helen Scott, Bonnie Smith, Carroll Smith, June Smith, Elvin Snyder, Foster Springstein, Odell Stoughton, Earl Underwood, Dale Van Vlack, Bill Williams, Bob Wilson, June Wintrode, John Zambo.

Officers: Lawrence Allen, Presidnet; Charlotte Harrison, Vice President; Louise L'Esperance, Secretary-Treasurer; Anna Jones, Delores Crane, Librarians; Jimmie Keck, Junior Boys' Representative; Jean O'Meara, Junior Girls' Representative.

"RAPID CITY'S HIGH SCHOOL SINGERS"

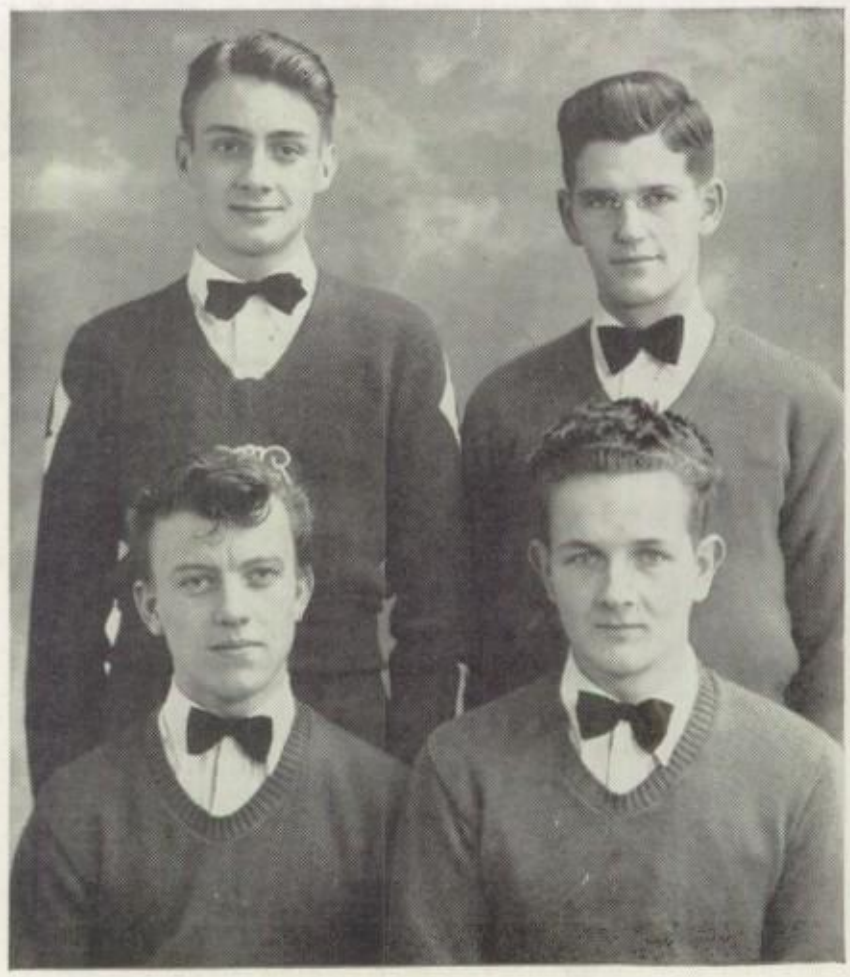
"MUSIC, SOFT AND SWEET"

Hi Lo

The Hi Lo is made up of a group of boys and girls who have been chosen from the "A" Chorus. They have performed for the following programs during the year: Stephen Foster broadcast, Christmas play, Christmas carolling, and Rotary Club.

Members: June Smith, Charlotte Harrison, Carol Forest, Sopranos; Marjorie Ham, Dorothy James, Arvilla Noltensmeier, Altos; Carl Bergerson, Robert Dorum, Roger Keck, Tenors; Bob Hood, Bud Levinson, Baritones; Leonard Melvin, Bill Evans, Basses; Theresa Behrens, Accompanist; Miss Bachman, Director

O. H. SCHWENTKER
Director



BAND OFFICERS

Top Row (left to right): Robert March, Principal Musician; Robert Knecht, President. Bottom Row (left to right): Ed DeLand, Secretary-Treasurer; Gene Babbitt, Vice President.

"A" Band

The Rapid City High School Band, under the direction of O. H. Schwentker, has been a major part of our high school activities. At all home football and basketball games the band played and was a major part of the High School sportsmanship.

The Band went to Chadron, Nebraska, to hear the U. S. Navy Band, and for the second time they attended the Band Clinic at Sturgis.

"OUR MUSICAL SCHOOL SPIRIT LEADERS"

Mr. Schwentker is the director. Officers are: Bob Knecht, President; Gene Babbitt, Vice President; Bob March, Student Director; Ed DeLand, Secretary-Treasurer; Willis Newby, Drum Major; Buster and Buddy Hart, Twirlers.

BAND MEMBERS

First Row (left to right): Edwin Clark; Charles Hempstead; Frank Bailey; Wallace Wells; Ed DeLand; Virginia Yost; Darrell Fleming; Bruce Raymond.

Second Row (left to right): Mr. Schwentker; Milton Hall; Betty Thomas; Betty Jane Haas; Wayne Atwater; Randolph Lee; John Lund; John Hill; Eugene Foss; Dick Drake; Bernice Gray; Raymond Ferguson Mary Joyce Burton, Buddy Hart.

Third Row (left to right): Dick Matthews; Bob Lake; Cecil Ice; Bob Jensen; Glen Mellgren; Bob Newby; Bob March; Keith Jennings; Russell Koch; Joyce Burrington; Kenneth Uran; Irma Lowell.

Fourth Row (left to right): Harvey Taylor; Norman Munderloh; Keith Shoun; Wayne Babbitt; Bob Knecht; Herbert Whyte; Jack Collier; Lawrence Allen; Irene Braithwaite; Jim England; Paul Hammerquist; Kenneth Damon; Don Mansfield; Willis Newby.

Fifth Row (left to right): Jerry Evans; Wynfred Driver; James Laughlin; Gladys Barber; Bill Evans; Frank Aukerman; Scotty Loban; Bob Hood; Gene Babbitt.

ALEX SCHNEIDER
Director

The Rapid City High School Orchestra, under the direction of Mr. Schneider, has presented many entertaining concerts before the students and the public. The soloists are an important part of the orchestra, and have performed many times this season. They are: Jean Miser, 'Cello; Harvey Taylor, Bassoon; Dick Drake, Flute; Mary Joyce Burton, Piano; Theresa Behrens, Piano; and Bob Knecht, French Horn.

ORCHESTRA
SOLOISTS

ORCHESTRA
CELLISTS

The 'cello section of the high school orchestra appears on various occasions as an ensemble. They are Jean Miser, Margaret Reitz, Phyllis Clark, John Zambo, and John Lund.

THE SOLOISTS

THE CELLO SECTION

"A" Orchestra

The orchestra has been very successful this year and is becoming a very capable organization. It is composed of fifty members, and is no doubt the largest and one of the finest orchestras in the Black Hills.

The first performance was given before the high school student body, during the first semester. One of the orchestra's objectives is to give one student assembly concert each semester, during the year.

"CONCERT MASTERS"

A special group of players were picked by Mr. Schneider to play for the operetta, plays, and other special events which occured during the school year.

Alex Schneider is the director. Officers are: Phyllis Muller, President; Mary McCray, Vice President; Harvey Taylor, Secretary-Treasurer; Phyllis Muller and Mary McCray, Librarians; Jean Miser, Reporter.

ORCHESTRA MEMBERS

String Instruments. Violins: Lorraine Bauer; Polly Bausch; Charlotte Bolm; Gladys Carrier; Mildred Ewing; Helen Gregory; Mary L. Harrold; Hope Hodges; John Hoon; Beverly Hurlbut; Virginia Isaacson; Leola Kuhlman; Ted Mihran; Phyllis Muller; Mary Alice Myers; Mary McCray; Evelyn Swinehart; Delores Swinehart; Lenore Walpole. Violas: Charlotte Harrison; Barbara Hood; Ardith Miller; Betty Rowan. Cellos: Phyllis Clark; John Lund; Vernamae Miller; Jean Miser; Margaret Reitz; John Zambo. Bass Viols: Theresa Behrens; Rebecca Trygstad; Sara Lee Yetter; Karleen Zimmerman.

Wind and Percussion Instruments: Frank Aukerman, Tuba; Wayne Babbit, Horn; Edward DeLand, Clarinet; Dick Drake, Flute; Eugene Foss, Percussion; Ronald Fleming, Trumpet; Betty J. Haas, Oboe; James Hermstad, Horn; James Laughlin, Trombone; Scotty Loban, Trombone; Robert March, Trumpet; Bruce Raymond, Clarinet; Harvey Taylor, Bassoon; Betty J. Thomas, Oboe; Dorothea Underwood, Percussion; Virginia Yost, Clarinet; Irma Lowell, Flute.

LESLIE BOYD
Advisor

"THESPIANS
OF
RAPID HIGH"

Dramatic Club

The Blue Masque dramatic club furnishes an opportunity for talented and enthusiastic students to produce finished plays.

Membership is open to all the talented members of the student body but is limited by a severe try-out. Each student is required to prove himself talented, enthusiastic about play production, and willing to work by accumulating a required number of points earned by actually taking part in the production of a public performance. Sixty students have qualified for membership in the club by working in the various departments.

Members: Donald Hanson, Lewis Carr, June Smith, Bob Hood, Lawrence Allen, Lenore Walpole, Louise L'Esperance, Marjorie Ham, Glen Mellgren, Charlotte Harrison, Hazel Ham, Gordon Sage, Doris Hayenga, Jean Miser, Susan Holm, Mary Alice Johnson, Carl Bergerson, Alice Gibbs, Lauramae O'Harra, Beth Rogers, Paul Warren, Betty Haden, Leo Reed, James Roseboom, Ruth Strom, Ed DeLand, Robert Trankle, Phyllis Muller, Gene Faulkner, Kathryn Wagner, Mabelle Barton, James McDowell, Bob Phillips, Barbara Price, Doris Thompson, Lauramae Braden, Marie Harkcom, Willa Jean Coats, Lois Green, Bette Dungan, Odell Stoughton, Carol Howard, Marjorie Hoare, Dave Leedy, Jean O'Meara, Jimmie Keck, Dick Kingman, Bill Evans, Jerry Brennan, Arthur Jones, Walter Lampert, Francis Koopman, Virgie Johnson, Marjorie Shearn, Mary McCray, Gladys Barber, Vinetta Johnson, Carol Atkinson, Polly Bausch, Dorothy Kluthe, Ruth Berglund, Bud Levinson, Russell Brunstedt, Peggy Ryan, Leonard Melvin, Carroll Smith, Bob Roberts, Dolores Garrey, Ed Hackett, Alfred Brickley, Robert Grube, Betty Mabbott, Howard Standly.

Officers: Glen Mellgren, President; Louise L'Esperance, Vice President; Susan Holm, Treasurer; Lenore Walpole, Secretary; Gordon Sage, Historian.

Senior Play Cast

"SPRING FEVER"

Mr. Purcell	Arthur Jones, Carroll Smith
Mrs. Purcell	Mary McCray, Ruth Berglund
Ed Burns	Lawrence Allen, Leonard Melvin
Lou Harron	Louise L'Esperance, Jean Miser
Vic Lewis	Odell Stoughton, Bob Hood
Vivian George	Peggy Ryan, Beth Rogers
Professor Virgil Bean	Gordon Sage, Ed Hackett
Aunt Maude	Phyllis Muller, Marjorie Shearn
President Dixon	Leo Reed, Alfred Brickley
Howard Brant	Glen Mellgren, Bob Roberts
Ann Purcell	Lenore Walpole, Marie Harkcom
Faculty Director	Leslie E. Boyd
Student Directors	Virgie Johnson, Bob Grube
Advertising Committee	Vinetta Johnson, Carol Atkinson
Property Committee	Betty Lou Mabbott, Dorothy Kluthe

"SPRING FEVER"

Junior Play Cast

"Headed For Eden"

Nancy Lane	Louise L'Esperance, June Gast
Henry Banks	Dave Leedy, Lawrence Allen
Marcella Turner	Jean O'Meara, Evelyn Wiley
Peggy Walters	Marie Harkcom, Lauramae Braden
Barry Richards	Leo Reed, Odell Stoughton
Minnie Peters	Marjorie Hoare, Carrol Howard
Bob Roberts	Jimmie Keck, Bob Hood
Mrs. Oral Skipworth	Gene Faulkner, Phyllis Muller
Gladys Hermann	Willa Jean Coats, Charlotte Harrison
Rosine Blandish	Betty Dungan, Lois Green
Ken Howard	Jerry Brennan, Glen Mellgren
Kate Roberts	Lenore Walpole, Susan Holm
Dorothy Brill	Doris Thompson, Barbara Price
Imogene	Mabelle Barton, Kathryn Wagner
Hank	Bob Phillips, James McDowell
Sergeant Kelly	Bill Evans, Dick Kingman
Faculty Director	Leslie E. Boyd
Student Directors	Gordon Sage, Betty Haden
Advertising Committee	Arthur Jones, Walter Lampert
Construction of Scenery	Mr. Anderson's Industrial Arts Class
Stage Crew	Robert Trankle, Frances Koopman
Lights Committee	Ed DeLand, Jack Chubb
Property Committee	Virgie Johnson, Marjorie Shearn, Mary McCray
Make-Up Committee	Miss Katharine Martens, Donald L'Esperance, Lucille Lange, Beth Rogers, Dramatic Club Members

"HEADED FOR EDEN"

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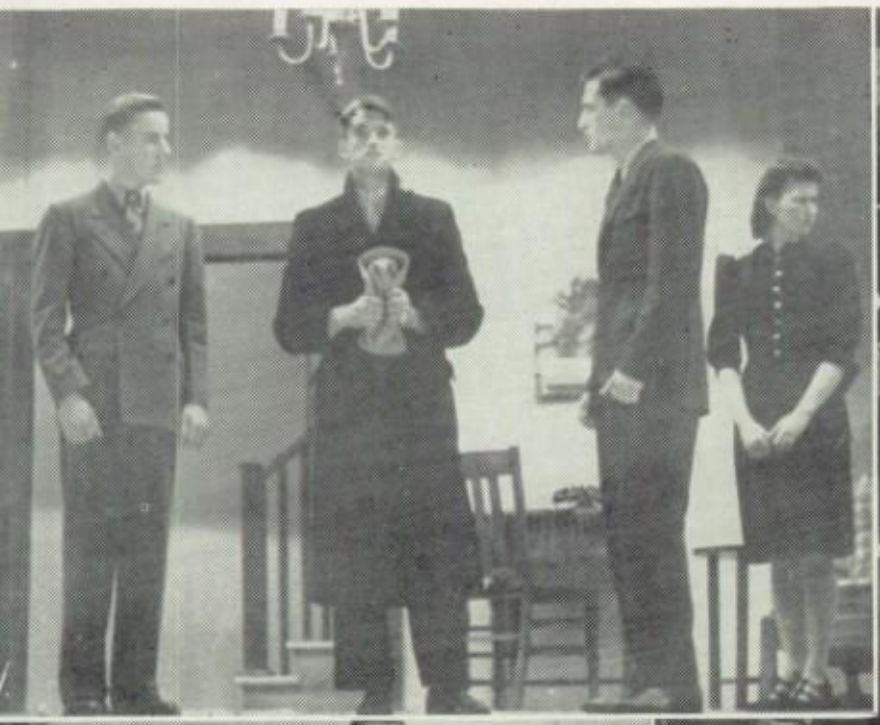

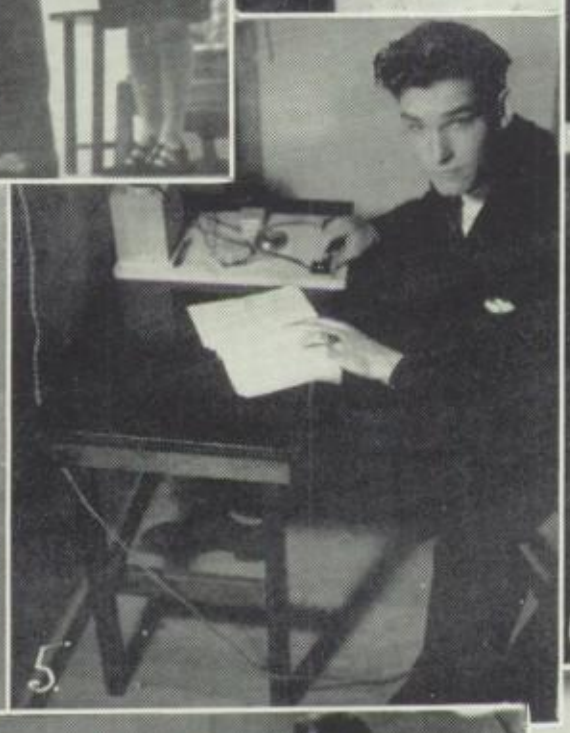

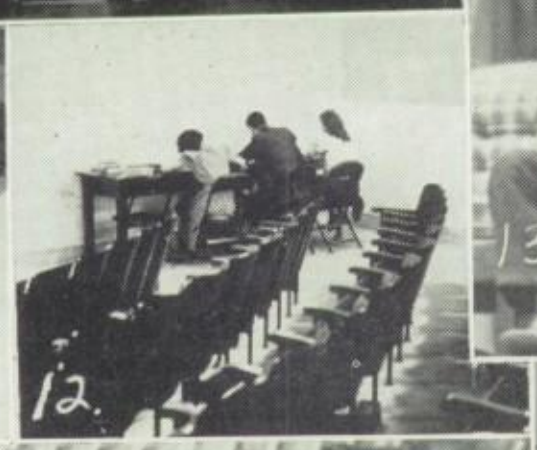

Pine Cone

The Pine Cone Staff this year has directed all of its efforts to making the best possible high school annual in Rapid City High School history. A new and different leather cover, individual Sophomore, as well as individual Junior and Senior pictures, a more organized and easily read year book, new pictures of administration and faculty members, and a complete record of all Rapid City High School activities for the school year 1939-1940, are but a few of the new improvements the Pine Cone Staff has achieved in the new 1940 yearbook.

The Staff includes: Mary McCray, Editor; Dolores Garrey, Associate Editor; Donald Nehrenberg, Business Manager; Clark Besancon, Assistant Business Manager; Gordon Sage, Art Editor; June Gast, Louise L'Esperance, Charlotte Harrison, Marjorie Shearn, Beth Rogers, Laura Mae O'Harra, Evelyn Bowdish, Carol Joe Elliott, Jean Miser, Doris Hayenga, Leo Reed, Bob Hood, Robert Newby, Glen Mellgren, Bud Levinson. Mr. Decker is advisor.

"THE 1939-1940 SCHOOL YEAR IN PRINT"

Pine Needle

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ATHLETICS

RCHS Athletic Directors

Left to Right: Assistant Coach Ward Meyers, Head Coach Cobb, Miss Jean Smith, Girls' Mentor, Assistant Coach Glaim.

Donald "Dutch" Nehrenberg

1939 State High School Golf Champion

First Team Cheering Squad

Left to Right: Vivian Kempter, June Smith, Dorothy Lloyd, Delores Garrey, Betty Lou Gaskill.

Cobblers Tangle With Non-Conference Foes
Sport Shorts
By Buster Hart
Cobblers Win First Conference Game
Cobblers Down Hot Springs
Rapid and Lead Head Coach
Teams Will Meet On Local Gridiron
Cobblers Try for Third Victory
Governors Are Undefeated Locals Hope
Stangle Scores, Robert In 13 to 0 Victory Deadwood Be
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Mascot Groethe
Captain Stangle
Captain Bobrick

1939 CONFERENCE FOOTBALL CHAMPS

Sitting (left to right): Donkin, Baken, Beranek, Hyde, Mascot Groethe, Newby, Crawford, Haskins. Kneeling: Manley, Thurlow, Gronert, Raetz, Hackett, C. Smith, Bobrick, Cox, D. Smith, Langdon. Standing: Coach Cobb, Stangle, Keck, Harth, Slater, Swan, Allen, Carr, Roberts, Trompeter, Crawley, Assistant Coach Meyers.

Football

With their first game scheduled only two weeks after the beginning of school, Cobbler football practice got underway on August 24 with twelve 1938 lettermen reporting for drill.

On September 13 the first game was played against Watertown and ended in a 6-6 tie. A week later a powerful Cobbler squad defeated Deadwood 13 to 0 in their first conference game, appeasing the defeat they suffered at Deadwood's hands the previous year.

When the final Conference standings were figured, the Cobblers were on top of the heap with a perfect score of five wins and no losses. The Cobblers' only defeat of the year was in a non-conference game with the Sioux Falls Warriors when RCHS came out on the short end of the score, 18-6.

The 1939 Cobbler squad was one of the lightest teams to ever represent Rapid City High on the gridiron.

Six members of the 1939 squad were awarded berths on the All-Conference Honorary Team: Stangle, Bobrick, Roberts, Harth, Gronert, and Carroll Smith.

At the end of the season 20 letters were awarded. Ten members of the 1939 squad will be lost by graduation: Stangle, Bobrick, Roberts, Hyde, C. Smith, Newby, Donkin, Hackett, Raetz, and Harth.

SECOND TEAM FOOTBALL SQUAD

Seated (left to right): Groethe, Manley, Updike, B. Mayfield, Hornby, Stone. Kneeling: Miller, Sheldon, Ewing, Krogstrand, V. Mayfield, Stemwedl, Belson, Crosswaite. Standing: Lee, Springsteen, Haskins, Helling, Goodwind, Keck, Burke, Abraham, Johnson, Biernbaum, Coach Meyers.

Football---Second Team

The second team played four games this season, compiling a total of 142 points to their opponents' 34. Teams played this year included: Newell, Custer, Deadwood B's, and Philip. The second team was scored on by only three teams, and finished their season with a perfect record.

Football Box Score—First Team

Rapid City 6	Watertown 6	Rapid City 6	Sioux Falls 18	Rapid City 33	Spearfish 6
Rapid City 13	Deadwood 0	Rapid City 33	Pierre 0	Rapid City 6	Winner 0
Rapid City 12	Hot Springs 6	Rapid City 36	Belle Fourche 0	Rapid City 0	Lead 26

Rapid City Ties Watertown in First Game of Season
Cobblers Win First Conference Game
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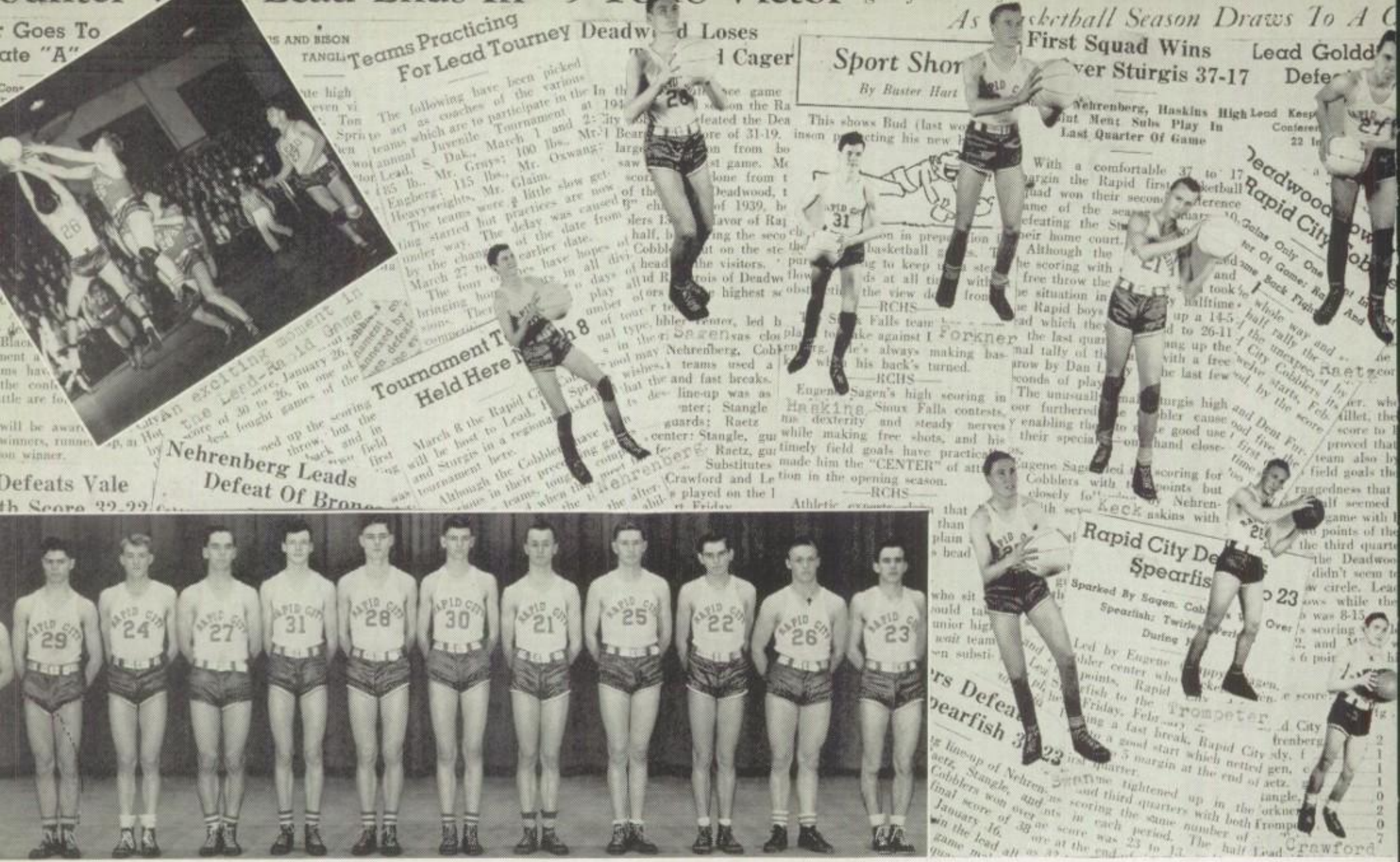

1940 STATE "A" CONSOLATION CHAMPION COBBLER SQUAD

Left to Right: Crawford, Beranek, Forkner, Raetz, Haskins, Sagen, Nehrenberg, Keck, Swan, Matthews, Trompeter, Carr.

Basketball

With only three lettermen returning, early 1940 RCHS basketball prospects looked rather doubtful, but Coach Cobb, after recruiting several of last year's first string reserves and second team squad members, soon built his team into one of the strongest quintets in the state.

The Cobblers opened their season December 22 with a non-conference combat against Vale, coming out on the long end of the score 32-22. A week later a powerful Sioux Falls squad, fresh from a victory over Central High School at Sioux City Iowa, journeyed to Rapid City for a two-night stand. Again the Cobblers proved indomitable and sent the invaders home with two defeats—18-12 and 23-20.

RCHS's first conference game with Deadwood on January 5 ended in a 31-19 victory for the Cobblers. In the next nine weeks the Cobblers entered 13 skirmishes, emerging with ten wins, and three losses. All three losses were return games and were played on out-of-town courts. When the Conference season was wound up, the Cobblers, with six victories and three losses to their credit, finished in second place.

On March 7 the RCHS quintet played its first regional tournament against Sturgis, easily defeating them 40-19. That night a determined Cobbler squad entered the final bracket against Hot Springs, coming out with a 30-26 decision and the right to participate in the State "A" tourney at Mitchell.

A week later the team trekked to Mitchell for a crack at the State Championship. In their first game the Cobblers were pitted against a strong Aberdeen quintet. After leading all the way, the Cobblers suddenly fell behind and were barely nosed out by a score of 26-23. In the Consolation Finals that night the squad was bracketed against Sioux Falls, who were grimly determined to erase the smart of their two-game defeat at our hands earlier in the season. The Cobblers uncorked their best brand of ball however and came out victorious by a score of 29-22. Though they did not win the State Championship the Cobblers proved the favorites of the crowd and were highly commended for their fine ball playing and sportsmanship. Eugene "Happy" Sagen, rangy center who connected for a total of 28 points in two games, was voted by unanimous choice as the outstanding player in the tournament.

Letters were awarded to nine men: Sagen, Raetz, Haskins, Nehrenberg, Forkner, Crawford, Trompeter, Keck, and Swan. RCHS is already looking forward to an even bigger and better basketball season in 1941 as only two lettermen, Raetz and Nehrenberg, will be lost through graduation.

SECOND TEAM BASKETBALL

Under the guidance of Coach Ward Meyers, the second team basketball squad completed a very successful season, winning 12 games and losing 1. The only game dropped by the second team was their opening game with New Underwood when they were defeated by a score of 23-21. During the season the seconds scored 450 points to their opponents' 243.

"B" BASKETBALL

The 1940 "B" Basketball Championship went to Bill Groethe and his team when they defeated Lindley Allen's quintet 16-8 in the final game. Consolation finals were won by Bolton's squad who edged out a 16-14 decision over Stucker's team. Ten teams participated in the season with 8 teams advancing to the final tournament. Gold basketballs were awarded to the Champions.

BOX SCORE—FIRST TEAM

Dec. 22 — Rapid City 32, Vale 22	Jan. 12 — Rapid City 24, Belle Fourche 16	Feb. 9 — Rapid City 26, Deadwood 31
Dec. 28 — Rapid City 18, Sioux Falls 12	Jan. 13 — Rapid City 37, Pierre 5	Feb. 16 — Rapid City 19, Hot Springs 28
Dec. 29 — Rapid City 23, Sioux Falls 20	Jan. 16 — Rapid City 38, Spearfish 23	Feb. 17 — Rapid City 24, Belle Fourche 19
Jan. 5 — Rapid City 23, Deadwood 19	Jan. 19 — Rapid City 29, Lead 18	Feb. 20 — Rapid City 39, Sturgis 11
Jan. 9 — Rapid City 37, Sturgis 17	Jan. 26 — Rapid City 30, Hot Springs 26	Feb. 23 — Rapid City 22, Lead 27
	Feb. 2 — Rapid City 45, Spearfish 23	March 1 — Rapid City 46, Pierre 23

Regional Tourney

March 7 — Rapid City 40, Sturgis 19

March 7 — Rapid City 30, Hot Springs 26

State 'A" Tourney

March 15 — Rapid City 23, Aberdeen 26

Consolation Finals

March 15 — Rapid City 29, Sioux Falls 22

BOX SCORE—SECOND TEAM

Rapid City 21 — New Underwood 23	Rapid City 32 — Nisland 21	Rapid City 37 — Nisland 17
Rapid City 46 — Buffalo Gap 28	Rapid City 34 — Wasta 18	Rapid City 40 — Wasta 17
Rapid City 37 — New Underwood 18	Rapid City 36 — Newell 17	Rapid City 27 — Wall 10
Rapid City 32 — Newell 18	Rapid City 27 — Cathedral 14	Rapid City 38 — Cathedral 27
	Rapid City 43 — Wall 15	

R. C. H. S. SECOND TEAM

Sitting (left to right): Raetz, Matthews, Beranek, Allen, Belson, Jensen, Trompeter, Carr, Crawford. Standing: Coach Meyers, England, Savey, Miller, Pitz, Keck, Jaehn, Schindler, Newlin, Donkin, Carsner.

Girls' Athletics

RCHS Girls' Athletics hit a new high in 1940, judging from the increased number of female athletes entered in every contest sponsored throughout the year.

Highlight of the year's events was the Round Robin basketball tournament in which eight teams, representing the various classes, were entered. High honors of the tourney went to Doris Nordbye's junior team; second place awards were divided between Marjorie Shearn's seniors and Fern Raetz's juniors.

Two weeks after the close of the active basketball season, a picked team of juniors was pitted against a picked squad of seniors in an exhibition game. Once more the juniors walked away with honors, grabbing a 24-10 victory from the seniors.

"GIRL SPORTS"

A few weeks later an honorary girls' squad, composed of four seniors and four juniors, was named. Girls chosen on this squad were Marjorie Shearn, Jean Miser, Irene Braithwaite, Kathryn Merritt, Seniors; Fern Raetz, Doris Nordbye, Vivian Kempter, Arvella Noltensmeier, Juniors.

A table tennis, volleyball, deck tennis, and badminton tourney followed the close of the basketball season. Spring activities winding up the year were tennis tourneys, bicycling, and hiking.

Track

"MERCURIES OF RAPID HIGH"

The 1940 RCHS track season got underway early in April with light outdoor drills. Early prospects looked bright since ten 1939 letter-winners returned to compose the nucleus of the 1940 squad, only four lettermen having been lost by graduation. Veterans returning were James Carson, mile and half-mile star; Ed Hackett, relayist; Roger Keck, pole vaulter; Bob Roberts, 100 and 220 dashes and relay veteran; Dick Trompeter, stellar hurdler; and Elwood Wickersham, promising high and broad jumper. Three meets were scheduled for the 1940 squad—a Conference Meet to be held at Rapid City May 1; the West River Relays here on April 27, and the Regional Meet at Hot Springs.

1940 COBBLER TRACK SQUAD

Sitting (Left to right): Belson, Harth, Newby, Trompeter, Keck, Wickersham, Slater, Buddy Hart, Berger, Kaiser, Carson, Buster Hart. Standing (left to right): Kingman, Newlin, Donkin, Bolton, Shoun, Phillips, Lampert, Babbitt, Brewster, Carpenter, Beranek, Sheldon, Trankle.

GIRLS' ATHLETICS . . .

1. Miss Jean Smith, Girls' Coach, gives a sophomore a few pointers. . . 2. After the game is over. . . 3. Senior girls' basketball teams. . . 4. Sports hour in the gym. . . 5. Time out. . . 6. Home Run! . . 7. Sophomore basketball teams. . . 8. Table tennis fans. . . 9. Kill it! . . 10. Batter Up! . . 11. Junior Champs.

"R" Club

The "R" Club is composed of boys who have earned one or more letters in one of the High School sports; football, basketball, track or golf.

Twenty-five boys have earned their letters required for admittance into this club. Each year the club sponsors a Father and Son banquet for the football lettermen.

"RAPID'S MEN OF LETTERS"

Members: Jim Donkin, Roger Keck, Jim Carson, Elwood Wickersham, Bill Bobrick, Donald Nehrenberg, Don Haskins, Dale Stangle, Bob Roberts, Carroll Smith, Dick Smith, Edward T. Hackett, Eugene Sagen, Fieldon Forkner, Charles Crawford, Ralph Raetz, Robert Newby, Dorn Slater, Bob Thurlow, Melvin Allen, Paul Harth, Homer Swan, Edwin Knodel, Bob Updike, Jack Gronert.

Officers: Glenn Hyde, President; Frank Carr, Vice President; Dick Trompeter, Secretary-Treasurer; Mr. Cobb, Advisor.

G. A. A.

The purpose of the G. A. A. is to increase interest in sports or any other athletic activity for girls in Rapid City High School. The Rapid City club is a member of the state-wide organization, using the state constitution and rules for points and awards.

For each one of the various activities that can be done in a group, such as basketball, hiking, swimming, skating, volley ball, and tennis, there is a sponsor who is responsible for each of these different activities.. Each year the club sponsors a basketball, baseball, and a tennis tournament.

"GIRL SPORTS"

Members: Arvilla Noltensmeier, Ruth Boasen, Kathryn Merritt, Doris Nordbye, Bonnie Smith, Rita Trompeter, Alice Meister, Irene Braithwaite, Marie Harkcom, Dorothy Lange, Alice Taylor, Ruth Ann Ham, Marjorie Shearn, Jean Miser, Susan Holm, Vivian Kempter, Marie Ofstad, Joyce Kirby, Betty Lou Gaskill, Betty Rowray, Evelyn Stolt, Orene Stolt, Barbara Price, Jean O'Meara, Betty Jolly, Mary Alice Meyer, Arlene Frank, Dona Core, Patty Westover, Doneene Foley, Betty Payne, Ann Wolff, Shirley Grissom, Florence Taylor, Betty Pyle, Mary Yirka, Beulah Housiaux, Lola Bennett, Jean Bennett, Janice Johnston, Neva Bretschneider, Pauline Schiesser, Berdina Schindler.

Officers: Kathryn Merritt, President; Marjorie Shearn, Vice President; Susan Holm, Secretary-Treasurer; Marie Harkcom and Arvilla Noltensmeier, Recording Secretaries.

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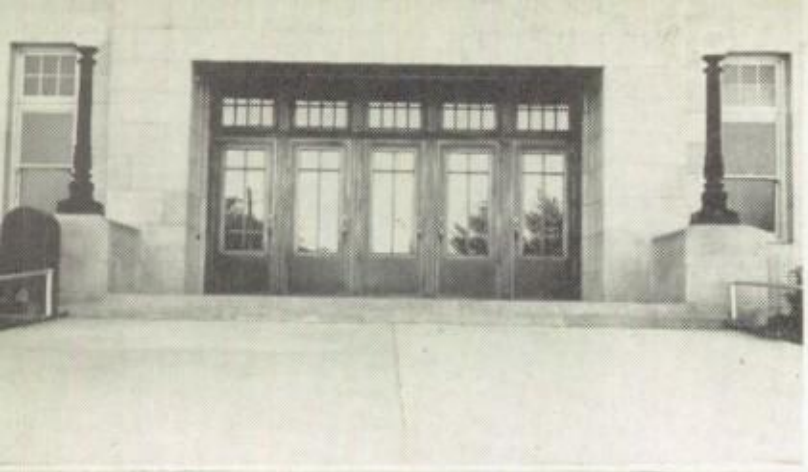
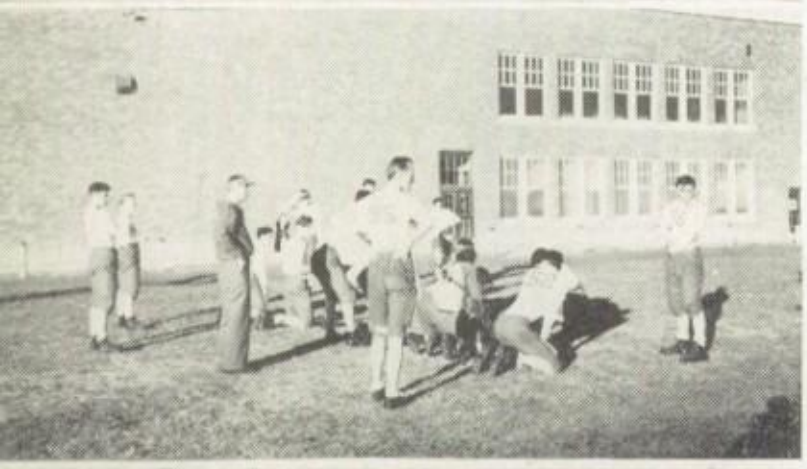




Remember?

September 6—Dear Diary: Well, another year has started off with a bang! Gee, it's good to be back and see all the kids again! Ha! Ha! What fun we seniors had watching the bewildered sophomores running to and fro; the juniors didn't do so well, either, but maybe they'll have better luck next year. I'll close now, another day is coming.

September 7—Dear Diary: Guess what? Student tickets are on sale again! Gee, the first football game is only eight days off! The team has already begun to practice.

September 13—Here I am again. My, my! It's been a long time since anything exciting has happened. Today the School Board entertained the faculty and office force at a picnic. Important announcement: "Bring Hardware." You'd think they were starting a store or something. But we really hope they had a good time.

September 15—Dear Diary: Whoopee! We got out at 2:00 today. The team played Watertown in football. It was a tie, but we had fun.

September 18—Oh, Diary: Pine Cone eligibility list posted today. "Gee, I hope I make the staff." I hope, I hope, I hope!

September 21—Dear Diary: First Pine Needle today! Now we know what's going on around school.

September 22—Look who's here: I just had to tell you about the Deadwood game. We won! The team looks pretty good—hope they keep up the good work!

September 23—Second team played Newell today. They won, too! Aren't we good?

September 28—Dear Diary: Our pedagogues had another picnic! They brought their hardware again!

September 29—Dearest Diary: Goody, goody, gumdrop! I got on the Pine Cone Staff. Ain't life grand?

September 30—Dear Diary: Journalism students met at Deadwood. We might have some real reporters yet.

October 2—Dear Diary: Girl Reserve mixer! More fun . . . wish they had them more often, 'cause I met a lot of new kids. Second team football game. They won again!

October 4—Back again: First Pine Cone staff meeting. Boy, it's a swell staff!

October 6—My own darling diary: The senior class officers were announced today! Look at their pictures, but don't say what you think!

October 10—Dear Diary: Junior play cast for "Headed for Eden" was chosen today. It ought to be a good play, judging from the cast!

October 13—Dear Diary: All the jitterbugs, waltzers, and what have you turned out tonight to strut their stuff at the high school dance. I surely had fun! Goodnight, diary. See you soon. . . .

October 16—Hello, Diary: All the daughters took their dads to the banquet at the Y. W. C. A. I guess the gals really learned their football, 'cause that was the theme. Marjorie Shearn left yesterday for Pierre. She's going to be there all week. She's the representative of the all-state staff. Isn't that wonderful?

October 20—Dear Diary: Rapid City's second team played Philip. They won again! Our first team went to Belle Fourche today. They won, too! Hurrah!

October 24—Look out, diary! Hallowe'en's here! There was a masquerade dance at school. Betch'a can't guess who I was—I wasn't.

October 25—Oh, Diary: Report cards today! Nuff's said . . .

October 26—Oh, Dear Diary: We played Spearfish today. This is the last home football game of the season. Weep! Weep! We won, though.

October 30—Dear Diary: Hallowe'en is in the air! The Girl Reserves had a party—eats and everything!

Remember?

November 2—Dear Old Diary: I surely feel old today, and I'm not the only one! It's South Dakota's fiftieth Anniversary as a state. Gee, you shauld have seen all the old clothes! Old wedding dresses, house dresses, street dresses, riding habits, wedding suits, derbies, beavers—every kind imaginable! Even the teachers got into the spirit of the thing!

November 9—Dear Diary: Leo Reed, Ruth Strom, Jean Miser, and James Roseboom talked themselves to glory in the local declam contest.

November 11—Diary: Haven't much time to write. . . . I'm going to Lead for the football game today. After the game. Oh, diary! We won—we really have a team!

November 15—Dear Diary: Sophomore class officers elected.

November 20—Oh Diary: The senior class has chosen its ring, and is it a honey!

November 21—Hello, Diary: Leo Reed, Jean Miser, Ruth Strom, and James Roseboom went to Hot Springs today for the District Declamatory Contest. Lots of luck to them!

The Junior Class Play was presented tonight for the first time! The performance was swell.

November 23—Dearest Diary: The Junior Class play, "Headed for Eden," was presented for the last time tonight. Everyone who saw it will tell you it was keen entertainment!

November 29—Oh, Diary: Goody, goody! There won't be any school tomorrow or Friday. It's Thanksgiving! Here's hoping you don't eat too much dinner, but do have a good time. So long.

December 8—Dear Diary: The report cards came out today. Remember the last time? Well, it's the same old story! Watch your grades, kids, or you might be called into the office for a pleasant chat with Mr. Haskins.

December 8 and 9—Dear Diary: Our debate team talked their way to fame again. They won the Central South Dakota Debate Tournament. They either have a lot of wind or a lot of "oomph." I think it's both.

December 9—Dear Diary: Ruth Strom and Jean Miser went to Phillip for the divisional declamatory contest today. I hope they win.

December 14—Dear Sweet Diary: Our mamas and papas came to watch their "dimpled darling" do their stuff at open house tonight. I never before saw so many polite boys. They all jumped up real fast and offered their chairs to the mamas and papas. (Such angels?)

DeDe L'Esperance was chosen the D. A. R. Representative. Isn't that wonderful? I surely hope she wins the state contest.

December 15—Dear, Older Diary: Here's Miss Kumlien with the dolls she and the girls in her clothing classes have been dressing to bring Christmas cheer to unfortunate children.

December 19—Dearest Diary: The chorus and orchestra presented "Christmas in Merry Old England" tonight. The church scene and glass windows were beautiful.

December 21—Merry Christmas, Diary: Oh, I had some fun tonight, at the Christmas party. Lew Carr was Santa Claus. Wouldn't you guess it?

December 22—Diary: Whoopee! We're out of school until January 3. This is how the school will look during vacation—black and empty.

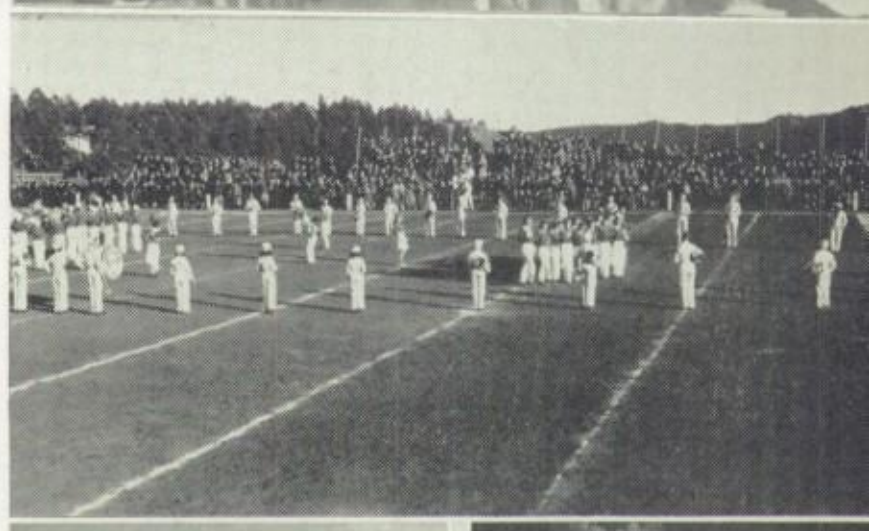
We played Vale tonight and won. Isn't that a swell way to start the vacation?

MERRY CHRISTMAS AND A HAPPY NEW YEAR!

December 28—Dear Diary: I'm so hoarse that I can hardly talk. That game with Sioux Falls about ruined by voice. My heavens, the score was so close, that for a while I wondered whether we were going to win. We did, though.

December 29—Dear Diary: I'll be glad when Sioux Falls goes home. My voice is not even here. If I have to live through another game like the one tonight, I won't. The score was too close for comfort, but we won.

January 5—Diary Dear: We played Deadwood tonight and won. The team is really "going to town." Hope they win a lot more.



Remember?

January 9—Dear Diary: Our second team won the game from New Underwood tonight. We're going to have a double championship yet.

January 12—Diary: The team went to Belle Fourche to play and again they won! Now—believe it or not, we seniors won the Pep Jug! Hot Ziggity Dog!

January 13—Dear Diary: We played Pierre in basketball and won again. Gee, it'll be keen if I can write that to you every time, won't it?

February 1—Here's food for thought, Diary: The Pine Cone Staff had a luncheon at noon today in the cafeteria. We were a little slow in getting served, but we really put the food away when we got hold of it!

February 6—Here's looking at you, Diary: Everybody looks sweet today. Guess why! The clubs are having their pictures taken today and tomorrow for the Pine Cone.

February 8—Dear Old Diary: We had a Pep Assembly today and the juniors won the pep jug! Darn! Our second team played the Cathedral school tonight and won!

February 9—Hello, Diary: Today the announcements said: "Confucius say: 'Girlees no better than boylees and he who comes to schoolee no find red inkee on report cardee'." It might be a good idea to think about this, EH!

February 13—Dearest Diary: We had the keenest assembly today! The Ritz Trumpeteers were here and everyone enjoyed the program. Here's hoping the next paid assembly will be as good!

February 14—Dear Diary: The student association held a luncheon today—from what I hear, it was a hum-dinger!

Oh, by the way—today is Valentine's day—red hearts everywhere!

February 15—Dear Diary: Pine Needles came out today. It's a good way to follow school activities.

February 16—Hello, Diary: I'm getting sort of tired of mentioning all the games we play and win; I think I'll skip it until we lose. Oh, oh! We lost the Hot Springs game tonight! That's bad!

The senior class play is going to be "Spring Fever." Sounds good, doesn't it?

February 20—Here I am again: Tonight we played the last home first-team basketball game of the season with Sturgis. Yippee! We won!

February 21—Dear Diary: My, do we seniors ever feel accomplished! We're getting measured for our caps and gowns—it won't be long now.

February 23—Oh, Diary: Happy days are here again. It's pay-day for the teachers.

February 27—Dear Diary: The operetta was given tonight for the first time! It was "All At Sea," and was it good!

February 29—Dear Diary: "All At Sea," the operetta, was given again tonight. It was as good as ever!

March 1—Oh, Diary: Can you think of anything more thrilling than a talk for us girls from a real air stewardess! Well, that's what happened this afternoon. She was from Chicago, and she really gave us the dope on the subject.

March 6—Dearest Diary: We had our Pine Cone assembly today, and boy, oh boy! Bud Levinson was a scream when he carried his chair up to the stage and then read a newspaper all through the performance! The horse, Ferdinand Della Ella, was good too, only I won't tell who she really was! And then those negroes—they were swell!

The Pine Cone Sales Campaign began today. I'm hoping we have lots and lots of orders, 'cause the book is going to be swell.

March 8—Oh, Diary: The Western Sectional Basketball Tournament was played here today. Rapid won the tourney and gets to go to the State—. Isn't that tops in luck?

Whoopee! There's no school this afternoon!

March 12—Dear Diary: We had a Sunlight Hop for senior high students today in the Coolidge gym. A lot of kids turned out and showed us they could really dance!

Remember?

March 13—Oh, Oh, Diary: It's report card day again! It's a painful incident for some of us, isn't it?

March 16—Dear Diary: Our basketball boys were in Mitchell today for the State tournament. They won the Consolation Finals. That's better than nothing, isn't it?

March 21—Dear Diary: Yippee! School was dismissed for the spring vacation at noon today. We won't have to come back until next Tuesday morning, March 26.

March 29—Hooray, Diary: Tonight we had the big sophomore leap year dance, and it was a honey! Everybody had a swell time, and the boys rather like reversing things for a while.

April 1—Dear Diary: We seniors voted for our announcements today! They're really keen.

The personality contest was held today by filling in blanks handed out in group. I wonder who will win?

April 1-5—Oh, Diary: Everybody's registering for next year's classes! I won't be back, nor will the other members of the senior class, but we hope you sophomores, juniors and seniors who are coming up will carry on in the best way you know how.

April 10—Dear Diary: We had our Quill and Scroll initiation today in the assembly held in the auditorium. A new idea, and it worked!

April 16—Dear Diary: The senior play, "Spring Fever," was presented for the first time tonight. What a show!

April 18—Dearest Diary: "Spring Fever," the senior class play, was shown again tonight. This was the last performance, and was a grand success!

April 19—Dear Diary: We held our annual College Day today. At this time students visit representatives from various colleges who tell them things about that college and answer any questions the students wish to know about it.

April 26—Oh, Diary: The seniors were excused this afternoon for the annual Mines' Engineers' Circus! Just oodles of kids from out-of-town were here. What a day! I sure loved the circus!

April 27—Dear Diary: Today was the day for the Invitational Track Meet, and everybody turned out!

May 4—Dear Diary: Well, it's here again—the annual West River Music Festival! And what a good time everybody had. There were orchestras, bands, glee clubs, and choruses enough to make Rapid City a very crowded, colorful town, and believe me, they did!

May 11—Dear Diary: The Regional Track Relay was held here today!

May 17—My, My! Tonight the Junior-Senior Prom was held, and was it a gay affair! Congratulations to this year's junior class! They did a swell job in giving us a prom we'll never forget.

May 18—Dearest Diary: The State Relays took place today!

May ??—Dear Diary: Today was the senior picnic. We went to—

May 22—Dear Diary: Pine Cones were distributed today. Everyone in school stopped me at least three times—once to sign their annual, and the other two times to ask me if I had signed it!

May 26—Dear Diary: Well, the year's almost finished for all of us, but for us seniors school's almost finished. Tonight our Baccalaureate services were held. Boo-hoo!

May 27—Dearest Diary: Today was Class Day, and things are about finished for us seniors, but we wish all the luck and happiness in the world for Rapid City High School next year.

May 28—Goodbye, Diary: Well, today was graduation day, and a sad one! Our school days are all behind us. So long, Diary! I hope next year's seniors take good care of you and RCHS!

An Editor's Farewell

Once again a Senior Class must say "farewell" (in modern lingo probably "so long") to days in R. C. H. S.

Upon entering high school, three years seemed many to look ahead, but at a backward glance they seem but few. There were regularities and irregularities. Remember the times we were tardy, forgot to do our lessons, or neglected to call and explain why we weren't coming to school in the afternoon? Those yellow slips were bright but not so cheery. Isn't it odd what havoc a mere color can work with one's grades? Yes, I'll admit we've had our ups and downs, but let's remember the ups and forget the downs, shall we?

All these months of planning and working on the annual have really been fun for the staff. Of course, many headaches were acquired from discussion and arguments. We hope these headaches, however, were not endured in vain, and that the annual is all the better because of them.

We can never relive these days, perhaps the happiest we'll ever know, so we leave it to you, Juniors and Sophomores, to carry on for us.

—The Editor,
Mary McCray.

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